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POST-SCRIPTS

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"Men must be taught as if you
taught them not.
And things unknown propos'd as
things forgot."

The police haven't captured the
Sixteenth street bandits yet but
they sure are adept at pasting a
billet doux on a parked car.

Chicago throws the pacifists out
of the public schools which here-
after will teach preparedness. The
refusal of the Senate to arbitrate
her war with the gunmen appears to
have thrown the Shindy City on her
own resources.

To make this parade of 75 milk
wagons realistic it ought to start
at 3 a. m. to the music of rattling
bottles and crashing glass.

And now Representative Ed-
wards, of Georgia, joins in
the chorus of the new popu-
lar song at the Capitol—the
District of Columbia Blues. The
puritans are getting so strict that
pretty soon the only amusement a
fellow will have on a Sunday after-
noon will be taking his neighbor's
wife out for an automobile ride.

American Master Hair Dressers
association is informed that the bob
is doomed. Who can remember the
last time he ever saw a copy of the
Police Gazette in a barber shop?

Wine and beer pile up such a
staggering majority against the
bone-dry that one wonders who
voted for that prohibition amend-
ment, in the first place.

In the old days European con-
flagrations used to start down in
the Balkans, but now we have the
League of Nations, and all the war
correspondents are at Geneva.

The ghost of John Barleycorn
stalks through the corridors of the
Senate as disturbing as the late
Bianco at the feast. It's a tough
guy who won't stay dead.

The Muscle Shoals resolution is
finally talked through the Senate
about two or three years late. By
the way, what's delaying Vice
President Dawes in revising those
rules?

The country's most prominent J.
Walker is going out West and down
South on another trip. Being
Mayor of New York is almost like
having a perpetual vacation.

But why didn't President House
suggest that he resign?

The agricultural experts in the
House are making such progress on
the new cure-all for the farmers
that it is expected the nostrum will
be out of the political laboratory in
time to give Si a dose by the time
the campaign opens.

Here's something worth looking
into—a new telescope has been
invented in Paris which will bring
the well-known Luna orb so close
to Earth that it'll seem to be only
10 miles away. Who remembers
the celebrated "Moon Hoax" and
the vivid descriptions of the inhabi-
tants and the fauna of our plan-
etary sister which once so thrilled
the world?

"But a bold peasantry, their coun-
try's pride,
When once destroy'd can never be
supplied."

A peasantry in the United States
can't be destroyed because we've
never had the institution, but Dr.
Galpin thinks one may be supplied.
This search for a class that has
given up hope and has not made the
first step toward success—which
doesn't go with Goldsmith's idea—
will have to be looked for in
America, not on the farm, but in
the slums of the great cities, and
then you won't find it.

If Dr. Galpin really wants to lo-
cate the down-and-out American
peasantry he'll have to go up to the
Capitol and attend one of those
farm-bloc hearings.

And here's Magnus Johnson, the
well-known Minnesota peasant, re-
portedly unanimously by the
Senate subcommittee in his con-
tested election case. He ought to
be down and out enough.

With all the Latins aligned
against all the Nordics at Geneva
it's hard to see where the League
of Nations has any advantage over
the old balance of power system,
but probably the pacifists can do it.

Briquet, only Humpty Dumpty
who's fallen off a wall eight
times, is about to be put together
in.

Giving more power to Pooh Bah,
Bridges is like painting the lily.
The American reply to the Mexi-
can government is delivered by Am-
bassador Sheffield, who refuses to
comment on its contents. The mes-
senger boy rarely knows what's in
the envelope.

COUNCIL DEADLOCK ALARMING GENEVA; ALL FACTIONS FIRM

Almost Frenzied Talks Stopped to Await Briand's Return.

SITUATION HOPELESS, MANY ON SCENE HOLD

Others Are Optimistic; View of Sweden Threatens to Block Settlement.

Geneva, March 8 (By A. P.).—No progress was made today in the crisis over the question of enlarge-
ment of the League of Nations council. The opening session of the assembly adjourned tonight after a dramatic appeal by the president, Dr. Alfonso Da Costa, former premier of Portugal, for harmony, without designating a day for the next meeting. To gain time to permit the reappearance of M. Briand at Geneva, the subcommittee of both assembly and council will take up auxiliary matters tomorrow.

The day closed with a continuation of the almost frenzied exchange of visits between the statesmen and with all parties to the conflict for council seats adhering rigidly to their original positions and openly proclaiming that they had no intention of receding one iota.

Alternative Plan Spurned.

Count Quinones de Leon, Spanish Ambassador to France, said: "Spain demands a permanent seat simultaneously with Germany. As for the idea of a subcommittee investigating how best to reconstruct the council, we do not fancy it."

The Brazilian spokesman explained the attitude of that country: "We are going to pursue our claim for a permanent seat to the end. We do not know what the end will be, but we are persevering. We can not allow a whole continent to remain without permanent representation, and in this claim we have no Latin-American rivals."

The Swedish representative declared: "We will not agree to any present enlargement of the council even if Germany's approval is won for it."

Poles Less Confident.

The Polish delegates seemed less confident, yet not less insistent in their demand for a council seat.

Despite the undoubted crisis, members of the council not directly connected with the present conflict informed the Associated Press correspondent tonight that they deemed yesterday's conversations with Dr. Luther and Dr. Stresemann, the German delegates, helpful, in that they removed the spirit of vindictiveness engendered by the dispute. They therefore thought that, so mighty was the issue at stake, involving as it does the reconciliation of Europe and the whole destiny of the League of Nations, a way should be discovered to adjust the crisis.

In their best judgment the proper procedure was the election of Germany to a permanent seat, the entire problem of the reconstruction of the council then to be submitted for profound study. One point suggested was the adoption of a clear-cut system of rotation for the nonpermanent chairs.

No Right to Permit a Check.

Dr. Da Costa, in his salutatory address, warned the delegates that the league's life had reached a turning point and besought them neither to make nor let others make depressing or paralyzing suggestions.

Recalling Locarno, he asserted that his harmony had brought all peoples together in fraternity and hope for the opening up for mankind of an era of tranquility and happiness after all the anguish and suffering of the past.

"The League of Nations," continued the president, "has no right to contemplate the remotest possibility of its own disappearance or even check. The present juncture is so decisive that we must feel the most complete confidence and obstinately refuse to admit that the vast dream of peace and progress might vanish at the very moment when it has begun to seem a beautiful reality, leaving mankind once more beneath the heel of all the forces of destruction which we had thought were vanquished."

Dr. Bello Codocido, former foreign minister of Chile, came out with a similar note.

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League Alignment Shows Complexity of Seat Fight

The complexity of the problem with which the leading statesmen of Europe are struggling at Geneva is reflected in the following alignment of the nations:

Germany demands that she be the only nation to get a council seat at the present session.

Poland insists on a permanent seat, relying on the promise of aid from Sir Austen Chamberlain and the support of France. Failure to win a seat will mean the collapse of the Polish government.

France vigorously upholds the claims of Poland. As the decisions of the council must be unanimous France threatens to veto Germany's entry if Germany blocks Poland.

Spain demands a council seat simultaneously with Germany, the Spanish delegate being instructed to withdraw unless the demand is granted.

Brazil has presented a strong claim for a permanent seat, and, supported by Uruguay, is opposing one for Spain.

Argentina threatens to withdraw from league affairs if the council is enlarged beyond the inclusion of Germany.

China also wants a seat.

Sweden is unalterably opposed to giving a permanent seat to any nation except Germany at this session, even if Germany should agree to an enlargement, and she will exercise her veto power to prevent it.

Sir Austen Chamberlain, the chief British delegate, has partly committed himself to permitting an enlargement of the council, but British public opinion is strongly against it.

Japan is silent, while her astute representative, Viscount Ishii, awaits a sign from Great Britain.

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WILLIAMS ROBBERS GOT PASTE; RICH GEMS SAFE

\$100,000 Worth of Jewelry in Home at Time of Bandits' Raid.

ONE DIAMOND RING LOST

The loot taken by the bandits who robbed the Williams mansion, 1227 Sixteenth street northwest, Sunday evening, consisted for the most part of artificial jewelry made of paste, it was learned yesterday.

It also was learned that most of the \$100,000 worth of jewelry that the robbers were after was in the house and was not in a bank vault, as was first announced.

A man once employed as a footman by Mrs. Caroline Williams is among those being sought by the police. This man, it was said yesterday, was discharged 15 years ago after he had stolen two rings from Mrs. Wilbur Elliott Wilder, daughter of Mrs. Williams.

The Williams mansion is very much the same today as it was 15 years ago.

U. S. Reply to Mexico Delivered by Sheffield

Mexico City, March 8 (By A. P.).—The note of the American government replying to the latest Mexican communication on Mexico's land and petroleum laws was received at the American embassy today and later delivered to the foreign office.

The American Ambassador, James R. Sheffield, refused to make any comment on its contents.

POLICE DETAIN THREE GIRLS FLEEING SCHOOL

Tired of Chaperons and 'Just Shrimps' to Dance With, They Explain.

Three attractive girls, students of St. Paul's school for girls, Baltimore, who resented "foggy old chaperons always spying and hanging around at school dances, where there were nothing but little shrimps to dance with," fled the school Saturday and were taken into custody last night in a room at the Annapolis hotel by Detectives Thomas Walsh and Richard Mansfield. They are being held at the house of detention for the arrival early today of guardians and school authorities.

The girls are Violet Mae McKittick, 17 years old, whose guardian lives at 1915 I street northwest, and Olivia Palmer Knotts and Rebecca Mae Bayne, both 16, of Baltimore suburbs.

According to the detectives, when they entered the room at the hotel the three were sitting about singing popular songs, while one strummed a ukulele. The girls left the school, they told police, because school authorities "were wise that we had dated up three shrimps." One gave Detective Walsh a small gold-tipped cigarette as a token for his performance of duty.

Man Shoots Himself At Lunchroom Table

Seated at a table in the New England lunch room on Ninth street northwest between E and F streets at 1:15 o'clock this morning, Charles Wineham, 45 years old, of 223 Indiana avenue northwest, drew a pistol from his pocket and shot himself in the right temple. The lunch room was crowded.

He was taken to Emergency hospital, where physicians said he probably would not live. A note found in his pocket said he was tired of life.

Harrimans Selling Ship Line, Is Report

Special to The Washington Post.
New York, March 8.—A report was circulated in shipping circles today that the United American line, controlled by the Harriman interests, will be purchased by the Hamburg-American line. The local offices in New York of the two companies, however, were without official confirmation.

HOUSE PASSES BILL ALLOWING ELDRIDGE TO ANNUL LICENSES

Body Votes to Abolish Taxi Monopoly at Union Station.

FIRST STREET PLAN IS GIVEN APPROVAL

Erection of Deeds Building Authorized; Important Bills Snagged.

The House yesterday passed a bill to broaden the traffic director's authority in the revocation of drivers' permits and to break up the monopoly of certain taxicab companies serving Union station and various hotels.

It also passed measures authorizing the erection of a new recorder of deeds building and bringing the recorder and registrar of wills within the scope of the budget bureau. It passed the Senate bill authorizing the widening of First street between G and Myrtle streets northwest.

A legislative snarl which for a while seriously threatened the District's day in the House prevented final consideration of the welfare bill and any consideration of the library bill, that to extend Fourteenth street through Walter Reed hospital grounds and that making the District's new water supply available to the Arlington sanitary district of Virginia.

May Get More Time.

Majority Leader Tilton indicated, however, that he would try to give the District time later this week so that its calendar might be cleared.

As passed, the traffic bill, which is to amend the present traffic act, gives the traffic director or any of his delegated subordinates authority to revoke permits for any cause which they deem sufficient. An appeal to the Court of Appeals is provided, however, with the proviso that the permit shall remain revoked pending the determination of the appeal.

It calls for the issuance July 1 of three-year permits at \$3 each and gives the director control over street car stops and animal-drawn vehicles.

These are all of the provisions which finally came out of the various proposals, including a comprehensive one submitted by the traffic director himself. They were embraced in the main in the bill introduced early in the session by Representative Blanton, of Texas.

Amendment's Success Doubtful.

But Mr. Blanton also had inserted a provision that declares all "vehicular approaches" to the Union station and the hotels to be "charged with the public interest" for the free ingress and egress of all vehicles. Mr. Blanton said that in this amendment he had accomplished his object of preventing the practice of certain taxicab companies from securing concessions for stands at the hotels and at the Union station.

Chairman Zihlman, of the District committee, said the force of the amendment was open to doubt.

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DRYS CUT DOWN RATIO IN WINE AND BEER VOTE

1,465 Favor Modification of Dry Law, 176 Opposed, in The Post's Poll.

SUBURBAN VOTERS "WET"

The total vote reported last night in The Washington Post's poll to test the sentiment on the light wine and beer question showed:

For light wines and beer, 1,465.
Against light wines and beer, 176.
A total of 953 votes were received by The Post yesterday. These were divided: For light wines and beer, 840; against, 113.

Although those favoring light wines and beer continued last night to hold a commanding lead, those who were opposed gained by comparison with the total reported in The Post Monday. On Monday the light wines and beer adherents were leading by about ten to one. Their lead, based on the returns last night, had shrunk to about eight-and-a-half to one.

Most of the ballots came from Washington, but several came from Maryland and Virginia, with seven votes in favor of light wines and beers received from various cities in Ohio, Arkansas, Vermont, North Carolina and Georgia, and from New York city.

Residents of the District cast 286 votes for light wines and beer and 48 against; from Maryland came 18 for and 5 against; from Virginia, 29 for and 5 against.

Many of those who voted sent in their ballots with explanatory letters, most of them denouncing the prohibition law, but some of the "dry" adherents denounced those who wanted wines and beers. Several ballots were not counted because of defective marking.

Returns in the city evidenced the fact that 80 per cent of those voting lined up for light wines and beer, with "whisky" frequently added in the writer's hand, next to his signature. A number of those favoring the return to a wet regime, however, expressed themselves as opposed to any movement that would bring about a comeback of the old-time saloon. Members of Congress and prominent citizens were among those balloting.

Only votes cast on the coupon ballot printed on page 2 of The Post are counted.

RESULTS ELSEWHERE.

	For.	Ag.
New York City	7,162	135
Suburban New York	316	9
New Jersey	549	18
Cincinnati	1,300	80
Boston	11,275	3,694

Buckner Will Appeal Ruling on Countess

New York, March 8 (By A. P.).—Theodore G. Riesel, solicitor of Labor Department, telephoned from Washington today asking United States Attorney Buckner to take an appeal from the court decision permitting the Countess Cathcart to stay in this country. Mr. Buckner asked that the request be sent in writing, and signified he would comply.

Man Under Arrest As Slayer of Siki

New York, March 8 (By A. P.).—Martin Maroney, 18, a laborer, was arrested tonight on a charge of homicide in connection with the killing of Louis Phal, "Battling Siki," pugilist, on December 16.

The two detectives who made the arrest had disguised themselves as gangsters, and kept close watch on Maroney for the last two weeks after he had aroused their suspicions by telephoning conversation in a social club. The detectives said that Maroney telephoned a man whom they believed to be one of Siki's murderers. They said they overheard him say, "they're close on our trail, and know who killed Siki."

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31 MEN ENTOMBED BY BLAST IN MINE; ONE DEAD, 37 SAFE

Little Hope Is Held for Any of Those in Shaft at Eccles, W. Va.

DEADLY GAS FUMES HAMPER RESCUERS

Wall of Flame Is Reported; Government Sends Aid. Cause Is Unknown.

Eccles, W. Va., March 8 (By A. P.).—One man is known to have been killed, 31 miners were entombed and 37 others were rescued alive, following an explosion in mines Nos. 5 and 6 of the Crab Orchard Improvement Co., near here, according to a check made late tonight by officials. Many of those brought out by rescue crews were badly burned and were suffering from the effects of poison gas.

The one body, recovered from No. 6, was that of a negro loader. Two of the No. 6 crew of 40 were reported missing. Thirty-seven were taken out of this mine by the rescuers. The entire night shift of 23 in mine No. 5 were entombed.

Wreckage in the shaft of No. 5 continued to hinder rescue men. Some crews were working through No. 6, hoping to gain entrance to the connecting mine. The rescue work was being directed by R. M. Lambie, chief of the State department of mines.

Little Chance for Trapped Men.

The force of the blast in No. 5, spreading to No. 6, caused experienced miners to believe that there was little chance for the entombed men.

Mine officials said the original blast occurred in No. 5, and that it spread to No. 6. Rescue crews went into No. 6 shortly after the blast occurred and brought out the two score survivors. They said this mine was little affected by the blast.

No. 5 mine was filled with poisonous gases and the rescuers could not go down the shaft.

Many Burned and Gassed.

Many of those rescued were said to have been burned and gassed. The shaft of No. 5 was wrecked by the blast, closing the entry to the rescuers.

Working in the belief that some of the trapped men were near the bottom of No. 5 shaft when the explosion rocked the workings, mine officials put crews to work, digging through the debris. They found the shaft so badly wrecked that after three hours of toil they had removed only the surface wreckage.

Two Rescue Cars Expected.

It was expected that two rescue cars, one government car from Thorpe and a State car from Mount Hope would reach the mines by early morning. The latter car carried Robert Lambie, chief of the West Virginia department of mines.

After viewing the efforts of rescue crews to get into the gas filled tunnels, mine bosses expressed the belief that the fate of the men would not be determined before daylight. They held little hope of the men, for they said, the explosion was terrific.

The rescuers were being aided by doctors from all surrounding mining towns. A State mine department motor rescue car, stationed at Beckley, was at the scene. In this car the burned and gassed men were being treated.

The cause of the explosion was undetermined. Men familiar with mines said they believed it was a gas blast.

Names Not Obtainable.

Incomplete records at the mine makes it impossible to determine the names of the entombed men, officials said.

A group of the miners rescued from No. 6 said that they felt the concussion and started for the shaft. As they turned into the main heading, they said, a wall of sweeping flame enveloped them. Many of these miners suffered serious burns. All were affected by the poison gas.

The sufferers were taken to a wash house on a hill overlooking the ill-fated mine shaft. Emergency bunks were constructed, and tables were pressed into use as cots. Doctors were kept busy dressing wounds and treating the burns.

The women of the mining village soon gathered, seeking word of loved ones trapped below. When it became evident that the rescuers faced a hard task in their attempts

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PLAN TO ENLARGE CITIZENS' COUNCIL FAVORED BY BELL

Engineer Commissioner Gives Praise to Advisory Body for Its Civic Service.

SAYS THERE IS ROOM FOR AN IMPROVEMENT

Calls Criticism Valuable and Approves Suggestion for More Representation.

Lieut. Col. J. Franklin Bell, engineer commissioner, yesterday expressed approval of the plan suggested by The Post for making the citizens' advisory council a more important and responsible body, by enlarging its constituency, and deplored resentment of criticism of that body.

"The council has met my expectations fully," he said. "It has performed valuable service. It can grow and improve and perform still more valuable service. I have no fault to find with those who criticize the council. Any institution or individual that can not stand criticism should get out of public life. When a person or body is criticized it is alive. If it is not being talked about it is dead."

"I think the council can be improved. This government has to start over three different times. When the articles of confederation were up for consideration it appeared for a time as if this form of government were not going to be established. It is not to be expected that the advisory council could happen on the most perfect form of organization and procedure at once, without experiment."

Likes Suggestion.

"I have read the editorial suggestions of The Post about having all the members of all the citizens' associations vote for council members instead of just the delegates to the Federation of Citizens Associations. I think it is a good suggestion. The more the council broadens out the better. It should be provided with the best possible warrant to speak for the entire community on matters of appropriation and local legislation."

"It would be ideal, of course, for it to be an official body, elected by the people. There is no reason why Washington should not have a city council, like any other American city. But that will require an act of Congress, and in the meantime, the machinery should be improved and the appeal of the council for public support and approval widened so that an effective public demand for a real city council may result."

"The comment has been heard that the council tends to reduce the importance and effectiveness of the Federation of Citizens Associations. It seems to me there is no reason for this, but that it should, if anything, operate the other way round. The federation is essentially and properly a propaganda agency. Its correct function is to demand public improvements and agitate to get them, giving force and effect to the needs of local and District wide citizen groups."

Room for Two Bodies.

"On the other hand, the function of the council is advisory. Its members may be delegates to the federation, and as such, active in urging improvements. But when they sit as council members, it is their duty to detach themselves intellectually from the federation and consider each problem of appropriation or legislation in its relation to all other problems of the local government. So, it seems to me, there is ample room for the two bodies, and that their fields do not overlap."

"Not only has the council thus far served the commissioners and the District committees of Congress well with advice on pending matters, but not the least of its service has been the centering of public attention on local problems of government. The council's meetings have been reported in the newspapers and more public attention has been drawn to public affairs of a local nature this year than ever before as a result."

"I am glad that the council is independent in its judgments; that it disagrees at times with the board of commissioners and other bodies. Its advice would be worthless unless its opinions were free and independent. The commissioners want and the committees of Congress want opinions as to the sentiment of the people of the District. The council should undertake to supply that want without reference to whether the commissioners agree or any other single organization

OLDEST SUPREME COURT JUSTICE HAS BIRTHDAY



—OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES, Oldest member of the United States Supreme Court, who yesterday celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday.

agrees. It should report its best judgment of public opinion as a whole."

Brookland Group Indorses Stull for Post on Council

Harry N. Stull, president of the Stanton Park Citizens association, was indorsed last night as a candidate for the citizens' advisory council by the Brookland Citizens association at a meeting in the Brookland Masonic temple.

Maj. W. E. R. Covell, assistant to the engineer commissioner, predicted that the Brookland section of the Northeast would have bus service within ten days. A hearing will be held tomorrow morning before the public utilities commission on the petition to grant an extension of bus service to Twenty-second and Monroe streets northeast.

Dr. James G. Cumming, of the District health department, who addressed the association on the "Prevention of Communicable Diseases," declared that typhoid fever would be extinct after the next quarter of a century. Dr. Cumming said the city's filtration system is so near perfect that Washington's water is on a par in purity with any water in the country.

The association adopted a resolution urging that all efforts be extended to keep Brookland strictly a residential section. The association will oppose any attempts to construct apartment dwellings of any character. A resolution also was adopted urging Congress to appropriate funds to pay counsel to aid the public utilities commission in its revaluation program.

Bell Will Address Howard Park Group

Howard Park Citizens association announced last night that, in place of its regular meeting, the executive committee had arranged to have Lieut. Col. J. Franklin Bell, engineer commissioner of the District, address the body April 22. No delegates were named to the Federation of Citizens Associations, nor candidates selected for election to the legislative advisory council.

It was stated by Dr. D. E. Wiseman, president of the association, that these matters will be acted on by the executive committee of the association at a special meeting later in the week.

Legislative Advisory Council Is Indorsed

The legislative advisory council was indorsed at a meeting of the Hillside citizens association in Birney school last night. The association declined to place a candidate in nomination for election at the meeting of the Federation of Citizens Associations on April 2.

A sewer and water main, it was reported, will be laid in Sheridan road through Stanton road, newly opened, to Nichols avenue. A general clean-up and paint-up campaign for the entire colored community was organized for the month of May.

Northeast Group Opposes Proposed Sunday Law

The Northeast Citizens association meeting last night in the Ludlow school voted to oppose the proposed Sunday observance law for the District. Baltimore on Sunday was described as "a city of the dead" by Edward M. Parker.

The association voiced its opposition to the woman's police bureau bill, Gasque school board bill, juvenile court bill, the measure to add two members to the public utilities commission here, and the proposal for the erection of an athletic stadium in Anacostia park.

JUSTICE HOLMES, 85, WORKS ON ANNIVERSARY

Retirement Apparently Far From His Thoughts; May Set Record.

CARRIAGE STILL ERECT

Retirement seemed to be far from the thoughts of Associate Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes as he celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday by working yesterday.

He was eligible for retirement several years ago and the rumors that he was to retire have been almost as numerous as his years. But the indications were yesterday that he is in a fair way to break the record of Chief Justice Roger B. Tanney, who died in office at the age of 87.

Justice Holmes, who is the son of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, the famous novelist and poet, carries lightly the effects of his wounds in the civil war and of the two operations he underwent in 1922. He retains his erect carriage and is one of the most industrious workers on the Supreme Court bench.

Justice Holmes and former Justice McKenna were seen to meet on Connecticut avenue one day recently. As they drew near each other they squared off and began to poke each other in the ribs with their umbrellas.

Case of Smallpox Reported in Capital

A case of smallpox was reported in Washington yesterday, the first since the flurry of last year, when there were 58 cases and 20 deaths from January 1 to June 30. Dr. William C. Fowler, District health officer, expressed the opinion that it originated in Florida.

The patient is Miss Ida McCullough, a nurse, rooming at 304 C street northwest. She was taken to the isolation hospital for treatment. There are 25 other residents in the house, all of whom were promptly vaccinated. Most of them are said to be government employees.

Murdie Drowning Remains Unsolved

Efforts of police to unravel the maze of circumstances surrounding the death of Bernard Murdie, world champion, whose body was found Sunday afternoon floating in the waters of the Tidal basin, have so far proved futile. Coroner J. Ramsey Nevitt, who issued a temporary certificate of "death by drowning," declared a "mystery" he would issue a final one today.

The body of Murdie was claimed last night by the Vincent B. Costello post of the American Legion, who are making arrangements for a military funeral in the Arlington National cemetery tomorrow under the auspices of the post.

Animal Rescue League Employee Bitten by Dog

Lena Hicks, colored, an employee of the Animal Rescue league, was bitten on the left leg yesterday by a dog owned by James Randall, 6110 Clay street northeast. The Randall family had observed that the dog had been acting nervous during the last few days and asked the animal rescue league to take it away. Policeman Delaney, of the Eleventh precinct, shot the animal. Howard Moreland, 15, 1244 Thirty Sixth street northwest was bitten on the face yesterday by a dog owned by Mrs. Kate Delaney, 1212 Thirty-sixth street. He was treated at Georgetown hospital.

Eldridge Says Lights Reducing Accidents

Director of Traffic M. O. Eldridge yesterday cited statistics to show that the electric automatic traffic signal lights in Sixteenth street had reduced accidents 51 per cent since their installation.

He said the number of casualties in November and December, 1925, when there were no lights, was 51, twelve resulting in personal injuries and one fatally, whereas in January and February, during which the lights were in operation, there were 35 accidents, four resulting in personal injuries and none of them fatal.

Knowledge Cramming Bad, Says Educator

The efforts of teachers in the public school system to cram the student with knowledge is killing the main object of the educational institutions of the country, according to W. N. Ferris, president of the Ferris Institute at Grand Rapids, Mich., in an address yesterday at the Grace Dodge hotel before the opening session of the joint annual conference of the departments of agricultural education, trade and industrial education and home economics education of the Federal board for vocational education.

TOMBSTONE BUYER'S CHECK ALLEGED BAD

Police Seek Man Who Ordered Memorial for Father and Mother.

Ordering a tombstone to be carved and inscribed to his deceased "Mother and Father," a man yesterday gave Frederick H. Heidenreich, stonecutter, Neal street and Bladensburg road northeast, an alleged worthless check for \$90 as a reward for his labor.

This path, said Lieut. Sidney Marks, of the Ninth precinct, that the man, whose identity is believed known, came to him a few days ago and asked that the memorial be made. Heidenreich had virtually completed the stone yesterday when the man visited him, gave him the check and \$12 in cash. Precinct detectives and police of No. 9 station last night were keeping a close guard on the man's home and also the address where the memorial was to be sent.

Girl, Self-Poisoned, Expected to Recover

Miss Margaret Grace Reid, 19 years old, daughter of F. F. Reid, 1802 King street, Alexandria, Va., who was found in a critical condition in a rooming house at 616 H street northwest yesterday suffering from an alleged dose of poison, will recover, it was said at Emergency hospital last night.

The girl, who recently left her home in Alexandria to come to this city to live, left a note to her father asking his forgiveness for leaving home. "I want to be looked upon as your little girl instead of a black sheep," the note said.

Chapin Memorial Room Gift to Sibley

A gift of \$1,000 to Sibley Memorial hospital to name a room in the new hospital building to the memory of the late Arthur A. Chapin was made yesterday by members of his family. This is the first memorial room to be named in the new building.

Sunday Legislation Declared Tyrannical

The Edwards and Lankford bills, which seek to check Sunday amusements, were unconditionally condemned by the Association Opposed to Blue Laws at its meeting at the Playhouse last night. The criticism was contained in a resolution adopted unanimously, which described such legislation as "meddlesome, vexatious and tyrannical."

A committee of members from the association, the Secular league, and other organizations sympathizing with their stand against Sunday observance laws, was named to aid in checking the efforts of the crusaders. Members are Dr. Albert H. Zimmerman, C. Dunham, Mrs. La Vista M. Weston, Walter E. Hawkins, Mrs. Magdalena Gale, Mrs. Corinne Grayson, Mrs. S. Whitehead, Thomas B. Eckloff, C. F. Volz, Capt. F. L. Jones, Lawrence Beckers, Linn A. E. Gale, Dr. Joseph A. Temper and T. Emmett McKenzie.

PARKING CAMPAIGN JAMS CITY COURTS: 438 TRAFFIC CASES

80 Per Cent of Those Arraigned Accused of Not Lighting Cars at Night.

FINES AND COLLATERAL BRING \$6,979 IN CASH

Judge McMahon Sentences 61 to Jail, but 26 Ask Trial by Jury.

As a result of a drive ordered by Maj. Edwin Hesse, against overtime parkers and parking without lights, one of the busiest days in the history of police court was experienced yesterday.

Court dockets were jammed with traffic cases and court clerks were forced to work shifts of 12 hours to keep their books straight. Andrew J. Sandford, financial clerk, collected \$6,979.50 in fines and collateral.

Approximately 80 per cent of the 438 traffic offenders were arraigned on charges of parking without lights and overtime parking. Sixty-one offenders who were arraigned on various charges before Judge McMahon in the United States branch of the court, were committed to jail. Twenty-six of this number demanded jury trials. It will take about six months to try this number of cases before juries, it was said.

The halls of the police court building were crowded with automobile owners who had deposited \$5 at the police precincts for minor traffic charges and were laboring under the misapprehension that a portion of the money would be returned to them if they appeared in court.

Judge Isaac R. Hitt and Judge Gus A. Schult sat in the traffic court yesterday while Judge George H. Macdonald was sitting on the bench in the District of Columbia branch of the police court. Thirty-nine persons were committed to jail by Judge Macdonald.

BRIDLE PATH, LINKING PARKS, IS OPENED

Work of Cleaning and Inspecting Reflecting Basin Is Started.

A bridge path, connecting Rock Creek park and Potomac park is available for the first time this spring, Frank T. Gartside, chief of the park maintenance division, announced yesterday. While there are a number of riders already using this path, its construction is not generally known.

The division has begun moving single flowering Japanese cherry trees just west of the Lincoln memorial, and replanting them on the site of the old bathing establishment. Work has begun on the painting of the stone lodge house in Garfield park.

In Lincoln Memorial park, draining of the reflecting pool was started yesterday, preparatory to its annual cleaning. An inspection of the pool will be made just as soon as the cleaning is completed to determine whether any repairs to the bottom are necessary.

AMENDMENT AIDS ARLINGTON BRIDGE

Senate Proposal Meets McCarl's Objections on Initial Contracts.

A free hand would be given the Arlington bridge memorial commission in the employment of consulting architects and engineers, it was reported by the independent offices appropriations bill reported by the Senate appropriations committee yesterday.

The provision is designed to relieve the commission of the embarrassment it has experienced because of Comptroller General McCarl's decision in withholding approval of the initial contracts awarded in connection with the bridge. It permits the commission to disregard the usual restrictions governing the employment of regular employees of the government.

The Senate committee also increased the House appropriation for the Smithsonian institution by \$12,000, mostly for the erection of a steel gallery over the west end of the main hall of the building for a division of plants.

As reported by the Senate committee the bill carries \$712,670.876.64 an increase of \$5,000,000 over House appropriations, the greater part of which goes to the emergency fund of the Shipping Board.

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ARTICLES IN POST AIDING WILSON PARK PROJECT PRAISED

Congress Heights Association Votes Thanks to Newspaper for Its Interest.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW FROM FEDERATION MADE

Admission of Washington Highlands Body Called Slap at Group.

A unanimous vote of thanks was given last night to The Post by the Congress Heights Citizens association for articles that have appeared in the newspaper urging the saving of Wilson park for the people of that section of the city.

E. J. Newcomb, in presenting the motion, said that the articles in The Post had contributed largely toward the hopeful state of the park situation at present. He highly praised the special interest manifested by The Post.

Purchase Prospects Bright

Prospects for the purchase of the park by the District government as a park and playground seemed unusually bright, he said. The owners have been asked by the National Capital park commission to present a price for the property. Building operations threatened a short time ago have been suspended for 60 days, and it is hoped the appropriation for parks will be made available within that time.

A controversy arising over the admission into the Federation of Citizens Associations of the Washington Highlands Citizens association "for purely political reasons, and over the protests of the delegates of Congress Heights," culminated in J. L. Gelbman presenting a resolution to withdraw from the federation.

Mr. Gelbman charged Jesse C. Suter, president of the federation, with playing politics in bringing by unfair means an association into the organization which will support him in the coming election. He declared that the matter was taken out of the hands of the membership committee when it had reported no action and the association admitted from the floor by unparliamentary rules.

Called Slap at Association

"The association was organized in our territory as a direct slap at us, and it was admitted by the federation as a direct slap at us," he said. Several members said the association had derived no benefits from its inclusion in the federation. Mr. Newcomb admitted that it had not, but declared that he saw no special necessity for withdrawing at a time when the association might take a hand in the election of the Citizens' Advisory council. E. B. Beagle then withdrew his second to the motion, and the matter was let stand. It was agreed to give the federation "another trial."

The Rev. Edward E. Richardson presided.

Youth Is Arrested After Chase by Crowd

Rodney Harrison, 23 years old, of Virginia Highlands, Va., was arrested by Policeman Paul E. Ambrose, of the First police precinct, early last night following a chase of several blocks through the downtown section, in which he was joined by several score of persons.

Harrison was accused by Mrs. Clucis Perrin, of Bladensburg, Md., of having insulted her in a moving picture theater and was charged with assault. He will be arraigned in police court this morning. The chase was begun by Policeman Ambrose, when he saw Harrison run out of the theater and up the street.

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LOTWORTHY—On Sunday, March 7, 1926, at the Masonic and Eastern Star home, Takoma, D. C., LOTWORTHY, husband of the late Sarah E. Lotworthy.

Services at the S. H. Hines funeral home, 2001 Fourteenth street northwest, Wednesday, March 10, at 3 p. m. Interment in Glenwood cemetery.

DE WITT—On Monday afternoon, March 8, 1926, at his home, Glen Echo, Md., WILLIAM EMORY DE WITT, 65, formerly residing at the chapel of George W. Wise Co., 2000 M Street northwest, until Tuesday, March 9, at 3 p. m. Interment at Elgin, Ill.

DI SALVO—ANGELIO, beloved husband of Clara Di Salvo (nee Sando), He is survived by his three sons.

Funeral services at the chapel of W. W. Chambers Co., 1400 Chapin street north, Tuesday, March 9, at 2 p. m. Interment at Holy Rosary church, Third and B streets northwest, where mass will be said for the repose of his soul at 9 a. m. Interment at Mount Olivet cemetery.

EVERMAN—On Sunday afternoon, March 7, 1926, in Holbrook, N. Y., FRANK EVERMAN, beloved mother of John T. Everman, Alice Everman and Mrs. J. L. Curry.

Funeral services at Mt. Olivet cemetery, Washington, D. C., Tuesday, March 9, 3:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

HAYES—On Monday, March 8, 1926, MARY HAYES, mother of Mr. F. H. Hayes, Denny.

Funeral services at the F. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2001 Fourteenth street northwest, Tuesday, March 9, at 2 p. m.

JOHNSTON—On Saturday, March 6, 1926, JEFFERSON H. JOHNSTON.

Funeral services will be held at Zerkow's funeral home, 300 East Capitol street, Tuesday, March 9, at 2 p. m. Interment at Arlington National cemetery, Arlington, Va.

MAXWELL—On Monday, March 8, 1926, at his home, 1840 California street northwest, Apartment 308, CLIFFORD D. MAXWELL, beloved husband of Marie Marie Maxwell.

Funeral services at Gawler's chapel, 1730 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, Wednesday, March 10, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

PEARSON—At his residence, 615 and Chestnut streets, West Newton, Mass., WILLIAM HENRY PEARSON, in the ninety-fourth year of his age.

PHILLIPS—On Sunday, March 7, 1926, WILLIAM H. PHILLIPS, 300 East Capitol street, died at his home, 311 Pennsylvania avenue northwest.

Funeral services at the chapel of James T. Ryan, 317 Pennsylvania avenue southeast, on Wednesday, March 10, at 9 a. m. Interment at St. John's church, Forest Glen, Md., where will be held at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited.

ROBINSON—Entered into rest on Sunday, March 7, 1926, MOLLIE M. (THOMPSON), beloved wife of E. L. Robinson and daughter of the late Harriet J. and John H. Thompson.

Funeral services at Church of the Advocate, Twelfth street and Massachusetts avenue northwest, at 2 p. m. on Wednesday, March 10. Interment in Glenwood cemetery.

SMALLWOOD—On Sunday, March 7, 1926, ANTONETTE, wife of Dr. J. P. Smallwood, died at Roxboro, N. C. No flowers.

STOCKMANN—On Monday, March 8, 1926, WILLIAM F., beloved husband of Marie M. Stockmann (nee Lederer).

Funeral services on Wednesday, March 10, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Glenwood cemetery.

WALSH—On Saturday, March 6, 1926, at 11:35 p. m., at U. S. Naval hospital, HARRY C. WALSH, 38, beloved husband of Evelyn Waters Walsh.

Funeral services from St. John's Episcopal church, Sixteenth and H streets northwest, on Tuesday, March 9, at 10 a. m. Interment private at Arlington National cemetery.

WALKER—On Sunday, March 7, 1926, at his residence, 119 Rhode Island avenue northeast, HARRY P., beloved husband of Anna J. Walker and son of the late Leonard H. Walker.

Funeral services at the above address on Wednesday, March 10, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Loudon Park cemetery, Baltimore, Md.

WRIGHT—Suddenly, on Saturday, March 6, 1926, at 4 p. m., at her residence, 1720 Twenty-first street northwest, Mrs. MARY REBECCA, beloved wife of the late John F. Wright and mother of Mrs. Ella Davis.

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WOMEN AS JURORS BARRED BY COUNSEL AT MARSHALL TRIAL

Both Sides Agree to Proposal; Four Were on the Panel at Philadelphia.

GIRL'S ALLEGED SLAYER SHOWS NO NERVOUSNESS

Dismissing of Body Is Laid to Chiropractor; Wife Not in Court.

Philadelphia, March 8 (By A. P.).—Examination of 31 talesmen produced only four prospective jurors for the trial of David L. Marshall, which opened today. Marshall is charged with killing Miss Anna May Dietrich here last January, dismembering the body, and hiding the parts in three different places. The defendant looked, in vain, for the appearance of his wife, who, after having denounced him after his alleged confession, declared she would do everything in her power to aid in his defense.

Mrs. Marshall's absence today apparently nettled Abraham Wernick, Marshall's attorney, but he said he expected her to be present in court when the taking of testimony starts.

Scores of men and women occupied every available chair after Judge Harry S. McDevitt announced that the public would be admitted.

With the calling of the first woman talesman, announcement was made that women would be barred from jury duty in the case, an agreement having been reached between counsel for both sides to that effect.

Marshall Takes Many Notes. Marshall, bent head forward and shoulders slumped, was taken from the courtroom at adjournment and back to Moyamensing prison. His appearance today, while neat, was not immaculate. His clothes, apparently worn, were pressed, but his shoes were dull. He was fully composed, watching every move made and listening intently to every answer of prospective jurors. He took many notes and often drew his head close to that of his counsel for whispered consultations.

In explaining the case to prospective jurors District Attorney Fox went into detail showing the manner in which Miss Dietrich died. The demonstration failed to move Marshall, who gazed squarely into the eyes of the prosecuting attorney.

Of all the jurors rejected, at least 50 per cent were opposed to capital punishment. Two were rejected from duty because of age.

Miss Dietrich, a 35-year-old milliner, was slain on January 19. Two days later the torso and severed legs were found on a country estate near Media, Delaware county, and on January 22 the body was identified. The next day the head was recovered, wrapped in a newspaper and concealed under a railroad trestle, a short distance from Marshall's home and several miles from the location of the first find. Three days later Marshall's alleged confession was obtained by the police. He was said to have asserted he killed the woman because she had threatened to expose their relations.

7 RESCUED AT SEA AFTER YACHT BURNS

Lifeboat Picked Up Off Cape Florida; Miami and New York Party Aboard.

Miami, Fla., March 8 (By A. P.). Seven persons were rescued from the 55-foot yacht Robalish, which burned and sank off Cape Florida in an isolated section late yesterday. R. H. Gibson, owner of the boat, stated on his return here tonight.

The yacht Eunice W. of Miami, went to the aid of the crew and passengers after they had taken to the lifeboat and were drifting to sea.

Members of the party in addition to Mr. Gibson were: Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Block, Mrs. Robert W. Hearley and Miss Wilma Denig, all of Miami; Capt. John J. Hawkins and Malcolm Jenkins, masters, both of New York.

The home port of the yacht was given as Providence, R. I.

Col. House Visits Palestine. Jerusalem, March 8 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).—Col. Edward M. House, a passenger on the Mauretania, made a flying visit to Palestine yesterday. He disembarked at Haifa, where he was welcomed on behalf of the Zionist executive and the Jewish community. After visiting the Hebrew Technical institute he proceeded to Nazareth. He rejoined the Mauretania last evening.

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Death to Bobbed Hair Is Slogan of Convention

New York, March 8 (By A. P.).—Women who bobbed their hair seven years ago have 50 per cent less hair now than they had then, Frank Parker, hair expert, today told several hundred members of the American Master Hair Dressers association.

The association opened its two-day annual convention, at which was sounded the keynote, "death to the bob."

Tight hats worn by women with short hair, duplicating the condition to which the common baldness of men is attributed, may be the cause of the loss of hair by women, Mr. Parker said.

Charles Kessler, president of the association, made the same statement.

"Nature must compensate for this discouragement to hair growing on the head, and it has been predicted that a race of short-haired women will be a race of bearded women," said Mr. Parker. "I think the bob is doomed, however."

NEW GLASS TO PLACE MOON 10 MILES AWAY

Telescope Twice as Large as Any in Existence Being Constructed.

NEARLY 20 FEET LONG

New York, March 8 (By A. P.). The Brooklyn Daily Eagle today received a dispatch saying a telescope more than twice as large as any in existence is being built by Prof. George Willis Ritchey, astronomer.

With it Prof. Ritchey hopes to observe stars 15,000 times more distant than any at present visible through the largest instruments.

Through the moon would appear only 10 miles away and the observable universe would be increased 1,500,000 times in volume, he estimates.

The new reflector is to be 19 feet and 6 inches in diameter. It is almost ready for the critical baling process, upon which its success is expected to depend, and it will be finished during the summer, if all goes smoothly.

Prof. Ritchey has been superintendent of instrument construction at the Yerkes observatory, professor of astronomy at the University of Chicago and superintendent of the Solar observatory at the Carnegie institute at Pasadena, Calif. In 1924 he was awarded the Janssen gold medal for designing and constructing a 100-inch reflecting telescope, then the largest in the world.

It had been believed by scientists that the limit in telescope construction had been reached because of the difference of expansion and contraction in the parts of a large, solid reflector.

Parabolic mirror, Prof. Ritchey believes he has overcome this difficulty by making the mirror in cells resembling those of a honeycomb. These will permit circulation of air to all parts of the mirror, so that expansion and contraction will be uniform at all points. If this experiment is successful, there will be no limit to the size of telescopes.

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POLICE IN 2 CITIES REPULSE STRIKERS; MANY CLUBS USED

Snowballs Hurlled by Passaic Crowd of 2,000 Paraders, but March Fails.

MEN AND WOMEN HELD IN NEW YORK DISORDER

Fur Workers Beaten When They Attempt to Hold a Demonstration.

Passaic, N. J., March 8 (By A. P.).—A flurry with police, involving an exchange of snowballs and jeers, broke up the afternoon march of striking mill workers through Clifton today before the parade had reached its objective. There were no injuries and no arrests. There were about 2,000 in the parade.

Immediately afterward the strikers announced they will attempt to march on the United Piece Dye Works, in Lodi, which employs about 4,000 workers, only a few of whom have joined the strike.

Two Department of Labor observers, John A. Moffett and W. C. Liller, were on the scene today at the instance of Secretary of Labor Davis.

Edward Hogan and Cornelius Strukey, members of the police force, were arrested today on warrants charging them with assault in connection with the strike. They were released to await action of the grand jury. Police Chief Richard Zober, against whom a warrant charged assault also was issued, is ill at his home.

New York Disturbance. New York, March 8 (By A. P.).—A platoon of police, some of them mounted and others using their clubs, dispersed 500 striking fur workers today when they attempted to hold a demonstration at Seventh avenue and West Twenty-fourth street.

Twenty-seven men and fifteen women strikers were arrested on charges of disorderly conduct.

Several strikers were struck with the policemen's clubs, but none was seriously injured. After being discharged the workers retired to two union halls where they held indignation meetings.

The disturbance was the first of any importance since 12,000 fur workers in more than 2,000 shops closed on Saturday, February 18, after some of the employers had ordered a lockout of their workers. The workers struck for a 40-hour week, equal distribution of work throughout the year and an unemployment fund to guard against seasonal layoffs.

Seventeen of the men arraigned in police court were found guilty of disorderly conduct and fined \$5 each.

"The strikers may picket if they want to," said Magistrate Goodman, "but as long as I sit here, order is going to be kept."

Death of Van Buren Kin Is a Mystery

New York, March 8 (By A. P.). An investigation of the death of Martin Niles Van Buren Wilcoxson, owner of a once famous New York restaurant, and said to be a descendant of President Martin Van Buren, was begun today by the police.

Wilcoxson died in a hospital Friday night of a fractured skull, but the injury was not discovered until after his death. He had been taken to the hospital two days previously, apparently suffering from alcoholism after a taxi driver had reported to the police that his fare needed medical attention.

Miss de Wolfe is 61 years old. She made her debut on the stage in 1890 and was for years head of her own stock company. She left the stage in 1905, and since has been engaged as an interior decorator. Sir Charles Mendel was an intelligence officer in the British army during the war. He was knighted in 1924.

150 Brides-to-be Are on Liner. Halifax, N. S., March 8 (By A. P.).—One hundred and fifty brides-to-be are on board the Anchor Line Cameronia bound for New York. From Glasgow to Halifax the maidens had a rough voyage, the captain reported having met with extremely tempestuous weather.

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Merry Widow Waltz Is Played at Funeral

London, March 8 (By A. P.).—To the lift of gay music, including strains from "The Merry Widow Waltz," the coffin of Alexander M. Carlisle, famous shipbuilder and friend of the former Kaiser, was taken from the chapel at the Golden Green crematorium today for cremation.

"I have no fear of death," said Mr. Carlisle before his death. "I want nobody to grieve. Therefore I have paid for and instructed the organist to play the waltz from 'The Merry Widow'."

About a dozen mourners were in the chapel, including Mr. Carlisle's daughter, the Baroness von Versen. In the midst of the ceremony she collapsed.

\$200,000 HEART BALM GIVEN MRS. BREWSTER

Wife of Publisher Said Miss Palmer, Actress, Won Husband's Love.

SUIT IS NOT CONTESTED

New York, March 8 (By A. P.).—Mrs. Elenore V. Brewster today was awarded \$200,000 damages against Miss Corliss Palmer, movie actress, for alienation of the affection of Eugene V. Brewster, wealthy magazine publisher. The jury deliberated one hour.

Miss Palmer, who is working on a screen production in Hollywood, Calif., did not contest the suit. Mrs. Brewster sued for \$250,000.

Mrs. Brewster was the principal witness in the trial, which began last Friday, but was halted until today to allow counsel for Miss Palmer to ascertain whether the defendant wished to contest the action.

Mrs. Brewster testified that Miss Palmer came into her and Mr. Brewster's life in 1920 as a contestant in a beauty contest conducted by Mr. Brewster. The actress, she said, persuaded Brewster to allow her to live at the Brewster home for a short time, but once there refused to leave. Miss Palmer eventually usurped Mrs. Brewster's place, the latter testified.

"After my baby was born," Mrs. Brewster said, "my husband suggested that we go South on a 'second honeymoon.' Miss Palmer ridiculed our plans in the presence of both of us and tried to discourage my husband from making the trip, in which she succeeded. I went alone and was away three weeks."

Walker Will Visit Midwest and South

New York, March 8 (By A. P.). Mayor James J. Walker, who already has taken one trip to the South, carrying good words for Tammany Hall, is going to make another visit, which will include the South and middle West.

He will deliver an address in Cincinnati on March 17, after which he will go to St. Petersburg, Fla.

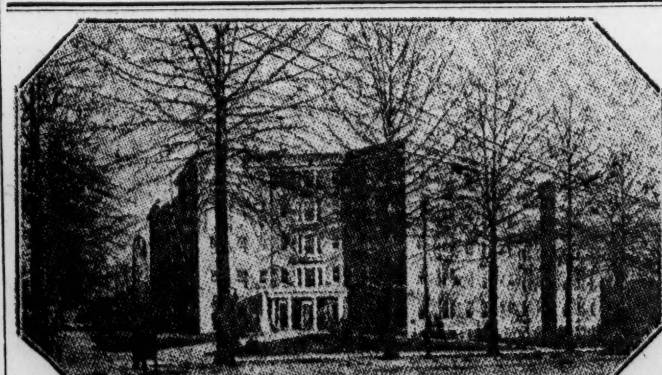
The mayor will make the Southern trip primarily for his health, his friends said.

NUNS SEE FURNITURE THROWN INTO STREET

Laredo, Tex., March 8 (By A. P.). Forty-eight Catholic nuns of the Order of the Visitation Sisters arrived here today from Mexico City on their way to headquarters of the order at Mobile, Ala., having been requested to leave the Mexican capital.

The nuns were in a sleeping car in charge of Mother Superior Semple. They said they had been forbidden to wear the habit of their order and that their furniture had been cast into the street.

An appeal for the American embassy was met with the reply that the matter was purely domestic. Mother Semple said.



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KRESGE SUIT IS HALTED; RECONCILIATION HINTED

Wife Seeks \$1,000,000 on an Alleged Premarriage Agreement.

MULCTED, IS DEFENSE

New York, March 8 (By A. P.).—Trial of the suit of Mrs. Doris Mer-Kresge to recover \$1,000,000 from her husband, Sebastian S. Kresge, head of the chain-store system of Kresge & Co., was halted suddenly today by adjournment until tomorrow. This led to rumors of a possible reconciliation between the two.

The adjournment came just as Mrs. Kresge was about to take the witness stand, after a consultation between opposing counsel.

The plaintiff, who is Kresge's second wife, alleged that the capitalist made a prenuptial agreement to assign her, after their marriage, a large block of stock in the Kresge Co. and that he had refused to deliver the stock. Trial of the case began today in supreme court before Justice Wagner.

Max D. Siguer, counsel for Kresge, asserted that his client was "a fool," and that the principal question before the court was whether Kresge was to be "mulcted out of more millions than he already had been gouged out of by a grasping group." On every occasion

PLANS TO TRANSFER U. S. SHIPPING BOARD OPPOSED BY HOOVER

Department of Commerce
Agency for All Merchant
Marine, Committee Told.

WOULD PUT EMERGENCY CORPORATION IN CONTROL

President Should Name Head,
He Says; Wants Existing
Status Changed.

By JOHN EDWIN NEVIN.
Lashing out against mismanagement which he said has handicapped the American merchant marine through the lack of a national well defined and definite policy, Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover yesterday told the House merchant marine committee that he has never expected such an organization to be created by the Shipping Board or the Emergency Fleet Corporation. The tasks of the board have been among the greatest in government, he said, and the many changes in the nominal administrative head have been a handicap which "no commercial organization could have survived."

Mr. Hoover plainly told the committee that the United States is in the shipping business and "can not now back out." The time has come, in his opinion, when Congress must realize that the board must be divorced from legislative control and afforded opportunity to solve its own problems. As it is today, he said, the board is "solely responsible to Congress and as a matter of fact has repudiated the authority of the President." He insisted that Congress never expected such an outcome and asserted this is "one reason why we have made no progress with our merchant marine than we have."

Heard on Bacon Bill.
The committee had under consideration the bill of Representative Bacon, of New York, which would, among other things, substitute for the present Shipping Board a merchant marine commission and would divorce the fleet corporation entirely from it. Mr. Hoover had been invited to give his views on the entire subject of shipping legislation and he made it very plain that he felt the entire existing plan must be changed.

The fleet and other properties ought to be transferred to the Emergency Fleet Corporation, he said, and the president of the latter organization should be filled by the President of the United States with the advice and consent of the Senate. He opposed any transfer to the Commerce Department because that department "is a service agency to the whole merchant marine, whether private or governmental."

The deliberative functions of the present board, he said, should be of new routes or abandonment of old, ought to be transferred to a separate advisory board, responsible to the President of the United States, or to the different government departments which have to do with merchant marine. The Secretary also favored regional representatives for shipping, but would have appointments to them divorced from politics and set up along the line of the Federal reserve districts to represent the merchants, manufacturers, farmers and shipping people of each region.

Private Ownership Eventually.
Eventually, the Secretary said, private ownership and operation of all lines is necessary because the government never can operate as cheaply as can private enterprise. Many of the private lines now are doing well, he said, and others will, eventually. He then continued:

"It seems to me vital to the protection of our entire commerce that we must maintain American flag transportation on all important trade routes. The government is now deeply in the shipping business, and I believe must continue to operate such routes as private operation cannot undertake until they have either been built up to the point where private operation can undertake them, or, alternatively, until they have proved impossible of successful operation."

"We need some criteria for determining when successful operation is impossible on a particular route. We do not believe this could be done legislatively. Ad-

DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE.

Met at noon March 8 and adjourned at 4:50 p. m. until today at 12 o'clock.

After amending House Muscle Shoals resolution so as to permit of one or more leases, the proposal was adopted, 51 to 26.

The Gooding bill to amend the long and short haul clause of the interstate commerce act was made unfinished business.

Chairman Warren reported independent office appropriation bill carrying \$512,670,877.

Senator Dill, of Washington, offered a resolution directing the Secretary of Commerce to investigate and report on the establishment abroad by American manufacturers of branch plants, amount of capital invested, the value of product produced and where sold.

Under terms of a resolution by Senator Sheppard, of Texas, the tariff commission would be directed to report on prices to retailers of certain agricultural machinery and implements.

Norbeck bill increasing pensions of veterans of the war with Spain, Philippine Insurrection and China relief expedition was favorably reported.

Hearings on Johnson-Schall contest from Minnesota were closed by subcommittee, which will recommend that Senate dismiss the contest.

HOUSE.

Met at noon, March 8, and adjourned at 5:10 p. m. until today at 12 o'clock.

Considered District bills, passing measure to amend traffic laws and authorizing construction of a building for recorder of deeds.

Passed concurrent resolution for participation of the government in the celebration of 150th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence at Williamsburg, Va.

Adopted conference report on the bill for disposition of surplus army posts and lands.

President Coolidge recommended legislation clarifying expenditure by the government of \$1,186,500 already appropriated for the Philadelphia sesquicentennial exposition.

Mr. McSwain (Democrat), of South Carolina, paid tribute to Associate Justice of the Supreme Court Holmes on attaining his eighty-fifth birthday.

Mr. Tilson (Republican leader) assured the House that President Coolidge, in urging that Congress put the brakes on appropriations, has no fault to find with expenditures to date.

Permission for Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond to spend \$1,025,000 for a building for its Baltimore branch is asked in a bill by Mr. Linthicum, of Maryland.

A bill to ban theaters, public dances and forms of commercialized sports here on Sundays was introduced by Mr. Edwards, of Georgia.

Details of farm legislation sought by representatives of Des Moines agricultural congress were given over by agricultural committee with William Hirth, chairman of the corn belt committee.

R. C. Marshall, general manager of the Associated General Contractors of America, told a committee of United States army engineers were following a policy bordering on "socialism."

In a letter to Chairman Dempsey, of rivers and harbors committee, Secretary Wilbur and President Crowley of the Fleet Corporation, endorsed proposed all-American canal to connect Great Lakes with the Atlantic by way of Hudson river.

Administratively it could be determined by experience, but we must have a firm determination of the government to go on as long as the route shows improvement.

"No section of the country has a right to call upon the government perpetually to operate ships at a loss, but some local communities may be willing to join with the government in an experiment longer than otherwise would be the case."

"To our view it is vital, if we are to go on, that we provide a form of administration for the government fleet that will reduce losses on those routes which the government must operate pending trade growth, and to provide methods which will facilitate these lines being disposed of to private enterprise."

FARM BILL FRAMERS
MAKING PROGRESS

Equalization Fee and National
Board Are Regarded as
Certain Features.

(By the Associated Press.)
The Western farm delegation and the House agricultural committee, with whom they have been conferring, appear to be making progress toward a farm relief program.

It was indicated last night that the bill being written by experts of the congressional legislative drafting service probably would retain these two central features:

A national Federal farm board with authority to solve crop problems through the farmers' cooperative organizations.

An equalization fee—collected from the manufacturer, processor or exporter, but deducted by them from the price paid the farmer—to provide a fund to insure adequate prices for surplus crops.

Whether the measure will contain drastic tariff provision, empowering the President to declare an embargo on any crop, has not been determined. Chairman Hagen of the agriculture committee has declared a relief bill would be useless without such a clause.

Statements Awaited
On Retirement Cost

The House civil service committee likely will mark time with the government employees' retirement bill until the cost statements of government actuaries are submitted, it was indicated yesterday.

The committee, headed by Chairman Lehigh, of New Jersey, met and received the report of its subcommittee recommending a 58-60-62-year retirement plan with a maximum annuity of \$1,200.

NINTH BRIAND CABINET IS NEARER IN FRANCE

Overthrown Premier Called
Only Man Able to Solve
Political Puzzle.

SITUATION COMPLICATED

Paris, March 8 (By A. P.).—A ninth Briand cabinet tonight seemed the most probable solution of France's cabinet crisis. One of the public men consulted today by President Doumergue expressed the general sentiment regarding the crisis, saying:

"The situation is complicated and simple. It is simple because it is complicated. The explanation of this apparent anomaly is that when a situation is so complex there is only one man who can unravel it. That is Briand."

M. Briand, however, will require a great deal of persuasion before he would be obliged to support the difficult task of bringing order out of the parliamentary chaos. He is willing to remain at the Quai d'Orsay as foreign minister, but prefers that some one else grapple with the financial situation. The opinion tonight, however, is that the necessary pressure to overcome his objections will be brought to bear, because it is impossible now to see how any other man can unravel the tangle.

The extreme radicals and socialists are making another effort to reorganize their cartel behind a Herriot cabinet. The president of the chamber of deputies, however, is averse to this combination because he would be obliged to support the same financial policy he followed when in power before, which was rejected by the Senate.

Joseph Caillaux is still mentioned as an available candidate if M. Briand should suddenly refuse. He is understood to have formulated three conditions to his acceptance, at least two of which are thought to be fatal to his chances.

The first, is that any government presided over by him be authorized to settle the financial problem by decree, levying taxes, holding lotteries and consolidating loans without action of parliament. His second condition is that parliament at once repeal the proportional representation electoral law and substitute for it a system of electing deputies in separate districts instead of on a ticket for a whole department.

America to Study
Peasant Question

(By Associated Press.)
To determine by comparison with foreign countries to what extent the United States is developing a peasant class and to study the remedies European governments are using to educate and uplift their peasants, Dr. C. J. Galpin, head of the division of the Department of Agriculture, will spend five months in Europe this spring and summer.

"America seems to be beginning to develop a peasantry," said Dr. Galpin yesterday. "The tendency is localized as yet in those regions where the small tenant abounds or where there is a large proportion of agricultural laborers. A true peasant is one who has practically given up hope of social advancement, who is not even on the first rung of the ladder of success."

American Arrested
By French Released

(By Associated Press.)
Thomas Williams, of San Francisco, reported captured by Rif tribesmen while serving with the French foreign legion in Morocco and to have been arrested by French authorities in Tangiers after his escape from the Rif, has been given into the custody of Maxwell Blake, the American diplomatic agent at Tangiers.

The French government ordered the release of the captive after Ambassador Herrick had made representations to the French foreign office.

The case now is regarded by the State Department as closed, and Williams is expected to return to the United States.

Edwards, of Georgia,
Offers Sunday Bill

Representative Edwards, of Georgia, yesterday entered the movement to curb Sunday amusements here, introducing a bill to close Sunday theaters, public dance halls, and all "other places where commercialized sports and amusements are carried on."

Present indications are that the House District judiciary subcommittee will report a bill of this nature after the hearing it has been holding on the subject.

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If House Approved Him Taft Doesn't Know of It

Col. E. M. House may have "formally approved" the appointment of William Howard Taft to the war labor board, but the now Chief Justice was not advised of it, he laughingly told the House claims committee yesterday.

The Chief Justice appeared before the committee in connection with hearings on a measure for back pay for employees of the board. Representative Bulwinkle, of North Carolina, told the Chief Justice that it had been revealed that Col. House approved all of the good Wilson appointments and policies, and he wondered if the Texan had suggested the Chief Justice's appointment to the labor board.

Mr. Taft indulged in a hearty laugh and said he had not been advised of Col. House's attitude toward his appointment.

TIENTSIN PORT SHELLED;
FOREIGNERS IN PERIL

Women and Children Flee
From Taku; Ships Held
Up Outside Harbor.

ARMIES MEET IN FIGHT

Tientsin, March 8 (By A. P.).—After an abortive attempt to shell the batteries at Taku fort yesterday, a squadron from Shantung province came up to Taku bar at dawn today and for two hours bombarded the fort, which it held by Kuominchun troops supporting the Peking government.

The shore batteries replied vigorously, and shells flew over Taku, which is at the mouth of the Pei river. Foreign and Chinese residents narrowly escaped being hit. Women and children evacuated the city, going toward Tientsin, 37 miles westward.

Two foreign steamers were fired upon, one returning seaward and the other running the gauntlet without serious damage.

It is reported that the Kuominchun commanders at Taku, a town of 7,000, have forbidden pilots to go out to ships, which thus are held up outside the harbor.

At Lanchow heavy firing took place yesterday between the Kuominchun forces and those of Chang Tso-Lin, of Manchuria.

Peking, March 8 (By A. P.).—Marshal Feng Hsiang, leader of the Kuominchun, today announced that he would not accept the post of pacification commissioner, conferred upon him by recent presidential mandate.

Dr. W. W. Yen, recently appointed foreign minister, has refused that post, to which he was named without his consent. A dispatch from Nanking reports that Yang Wen-kai, named minister of agriculture in the new cabinet, has declined that post. His appointment was made with a view to enlisting Gen. Sun Chuan-fang's allegiance.

Publishers Again Ask
Mail Rate Hearing

(By the Associated Press.)
An application has been filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission by the American publishers' conference asking reconsideration of the recent order denying publishers the right to intervene in the proceedings of railroads for increased mail transportation rates.

In a brief filed with the application, the publishers took issue with the contentions of the railroads that the Postmaster General was the only other party entitled to be heard in the case. Any increase in the mail rates would be used by the Postoffice Department as an argument for further raises in second-class mail rates, it contended, holding that the publishers and other users are the real parties of interest.

Liquor Case Opens.

Trial of the Shields-Johnson liquor conspiracy case was started yesterday before Justice Wendell P. Stafford, in criminal court No. 2. The defendants are Daniel J. Shields, brewer, of Johnston, Pa., and Maj. James F. Johnson, an attorney, formerly employed by the prohibition unit of the bureau of internal revenue. They are alleged to have conspired fraudulently to obtain a permit for the manufacture of cereal beverages.

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NOTES CALLED EVIDENCE

Denver, Colo., March 8 (By A. P.).—Charges of murder in connection with the death February 1 of Mrs. Catherine Rosenbaum Massie were filed today against Virgil A. Massie and Mrs. Rene Dibelness, who are held in jail at Golden, Colo.

The charges followed investigation in Colorado and the exhumation of Mrs. Massie's body at Carthage, Ill., last week for an autopsy. District Attorney Joel E. Stone said he had certain notes which he hoped to prove were written by Mrs. Massie and which would constitute "serious incriminating evidence against the accused pair."

Mrs. Massie was found dead in bed beside her husband, who complained that he was seriously ill. Massie said he thought he and his wife were victims of ptomaine poisoning.

Flora, Ill., March 8 (By A. P.).—Ernest L. Malinsky and his wife, Elsie Bible Malinsky, are in the county jail on murder charges, while Clay county authorities investigate the deaths of his former wife and her former husband.

The two are charged with murder in connection with the death last September 26 "under mysterious circumstances" of Mrs. Laura Malinsky, former wife of Malinsky, a locomotive engineer. Her body was exhumed last December 11 and the arrest of the couple last night followed a report to State's Attorney Williams by a chemist that her death was due to poisoning.

Coroner Holliday announced today he had begun an investigation into the death here a year and a half ago of A. J. Bible, former husband of Elsie Bible Malinsky, whose death also was reported to have been "under mysterious circumstances." Coroner Holliday said he expects to have the body exhumed and the vital organs analyzed.

Officials said the kind of poisoning reported to have caused the death of Laura Malinsky was the same kind as the famous Hight-Sweetin case, which stirred southern Illinois about a year ago.

Northwest Conditions
Better, Coolidge Told

A reassuring picture of conditions in the Northwest was painted for President Coolidge yesterday by A. A. D. Raan, a leading business man and party official of Minneapolis. Mr. Raan told the executive that he had just returned from a trip to the Pacific Northwest and he had found that business conditions are improving right along.

The surplus corn crop in Iowa has been a handicap, but that problem is gradually clearing itself up. The popularity of the President in that section has in no way diminished and in general the outlook for continued Republican control is good, he said.

Group Urges Dropping
Johnson-Schall Case

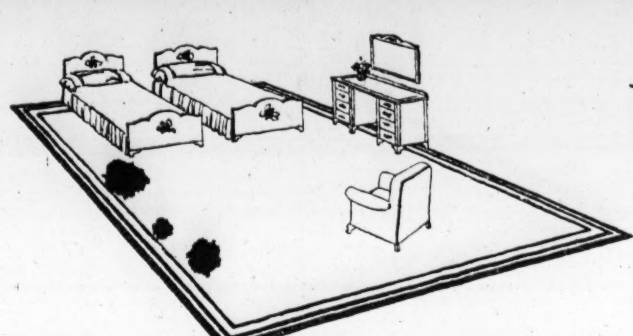
(By the Associated Press.)
A unanimous decision against Magnus Johnson, former farmer-labor senator, in his contest for the seat held by Senator Schall (Republican), Minnesota, was reached yesterday by a Senate elections subcommittee.

A report embodying this decision will be prepared within a few days for submission to the entire committee, which, in turn, will make its recommendations to the Senate, where the contest must be decided finally.

House Committeemen
Will Inspect City Jail

A personal inspection of the reported crowded conditions in the District jail will be made by Chairman Zihlman of the House District committee, Representatives Reid, of Illinois, McLeod, of Michigan, and Stalker, of New York and other members of the committee.

Mr. Zihlman said he would initiate legislation if he found conditions warranted erection of a new wing.



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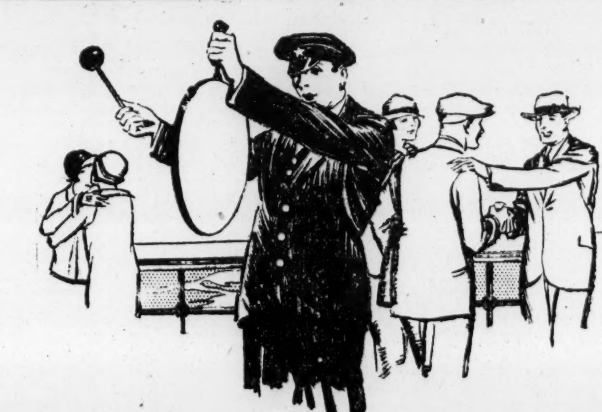
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HOUSE SUGGESTS PRESIDENT RESIGN IF HUGHES WINS

Offers Startling Plan to Avoid Embarrassing a New Executive in Time of War—Wilson Said Afterward He Would Have Followed Plan Had Democrats Been Defeated—Cabinet Officials Staggered at Idea.

INTIMATE PAPERS OF COL. HOUSE INSTANTLY XXXVIII.

THE basis of House's plan was to divide the country into the smallest possible units that could be arranged for with available campaign funds. The smaller the unit, the greater efficiency. In each unit local workers must segregate the certain Republican and certain Democratic voters. "Roughly speaking," wrote House, "we must assume that in a unit of 100,000 voters 30 per cent of them will be unchangeable voters, which would leave 20 per cent that can be influenced by argument." That 20 per cent must be worked intensively. "We must run the President," he told Daniel C. Roper, who was in charge of organization, "for justice of the peace and not for President; we need not consider the disposition of sixteen or seventeen million voters, but the disposition of the voters in individual precincts."

This intensive work in the districts was carried out by Roper under the direction of McCormick in what House later described as "an effective manner."

Col. House to the President

New London, N. H., July 5, 1916.
Dear Governor:
As to the general political situation, I think it is too early to prophesy. If the election were held today I have no doubt you would win. Conditions and issues are so different from the usual that it is idle to speculate as to the final result.

This is my reason for urging a complete organization in certain vital States. If we once get this organization we will know where we stand, and the opposition will probably not know. If we do not get it everything must necessarily be guesswork up to the last moment.

It looked at one time as if the "hyphenate" issue would be the paramount one and the one upon which you could easily win. However, if Germany pursues her present course one can imagine a radical change in feeling here. Even now I notice a lack of interest in that question. If the allies continue their blockade rigorously and if they push the Germans back to their boundaries, a feeling of something akin to sympathy with Germany may arise in this country. Germany's complete change of attitude, both here and abroad, has done much toward lessening the war spirit in America.

I believe that certain lines of attack should be agreed upon in the campaign and the fight forced in these directions. If we center our fire, it will inevitably put the opposition upon the defensive, and that is what we want. Fortunately, we have all the arguments on our side, but they have the money.

It is the plain people that will determine the result, and we must get the issue properly before them. The keeping of the country out of war and the great measures you have enacted into law should be a battle cry. It will be the aim of the opposition to bring into line against you every dissatisfied element. It is their only chance for success.

My heart goes out to you every day in admiration, in gratitude and in devotion. Affectionately yours,
E. M. HOUSE.

New London, N. H., August 3, 1926. Dear Governor: In your speech of acceptance, I have been wondering whether or not it would not be well to speak almost wholly on foreign affairs.

There is much more involved in this election than domestic issues, and much more involved in the world situation than our people realize. Democracy hangs in the balance, and the result of our election may determine its fate, not only here, but throughout the world.

We find the reactionary forces dominant in Germany and trying for domination in the other belligerent countries. We find, too, that

House to President.

New York, Sept. 30, 1916.
Dear Governor: Roper tells me that today we stand to win by 5 per cent in Indiana.

Our main trouble now, as it has always been, is here in New York. McCormick and I have just had a long sitting on that situation.

If Tammany plays fair, we will carry this State; otherwise we will lose it, as things stand today. Every one of our friends has a different opinion as to whether they will work with us or not, and all these opinions, I think, are valueless. We are feeling our way cautiously for the present, hoping that they may clear themselves soon of all suspicion. Affectionately yours,
E. M. HOUSE.

P. S.—Your telegram to O'Leary is the best thing so far in the campaign, and will do more good than you can realize.
An anti-British agitator, Jeremiah O'Leary, had sent a letter to Wilson which both sides admitted might be termed offensive. The President had replied, "I would feel deeply mortified to have you or anybody like you vote for me. Since you have access to many disloyal Americans and I have not, I will ask you to convey this message to them."

November 1, 1916: Final touches were given this afternoon to the rally at Madison Square Garden. House recorded, "I hope everything will work out as planned, though there is danger it will not, for much must depend upon luck, as matters are supposed to happen spontaneously which are really prepared far in advance. For instance, the head of the parade must be down at Thirty-fourth street and Fifth avenue at 8:30. At twenty minutes of 9 the President must come out of the Waldorf hotel and start for the Garden, stopping at Thirty-fourth street and Madison avenue for ten minutes to receive the cheers of the crowd and review the parade for that length of time. Glynn is to commence his speech at the Garden at fifteen minutes of 9, so as to count on five minutes of applause. The speech is to take ten minutes to deliver and the President must walk on the speakers' platform just as it ends in order to receive continuous applause of heaven knows how many minutes. The idea is to have the applause unbroken after Glynn's speech."

November 2, 1916: Everything today has worked according to schedule so far. The President arrived promptly at 9 o'clock. McCormick and I met him and went with him to the Mayflower, which is anchored in East river. We talked to him for an hour and a half, and it was the most acrimonious debate I have had with him for a long while. He did not like the New York program; he did not like the Republican expenditure of money to defeat him, as evidenced by the full-page advertisements in the morning papers. The Republicans had sixteen columns to our one and a half. He thought New York "rotten to the core," and should be wiped off the map.

"I defended Democratic newspapers for taking Republican advertisements, and so did McCormick. I thought it was much more to our advantage to be able to get into the Republican press in that way than not to be able to get in at all. I also defended New York by telling him he had as many friends here as in any other part of the Union, even if they were not among the moneyed class. He thought both McCormick and I had 'New Yorkitis,' and that the campaign should be run from elsewhere. He was absolutely certain of the election without New York."

"The President thought organization amounted to nothing, and that the people determined such matters themselves. If he had been in politics as long as I have, and knew it from the point of a worker rather than as a candidate, he would understand how easy it is to change the vote of a State in one way or another. To hear him talk you would think the man in the street understood the theory and philosophy of government as he does and was actuated by the same motives."

The manufactured "spontaneity" of the rally, however, did not necessarily mean votes, and House evidently feared that New York could not be counted upon. As it finally developed, Hughes carried the State. "It occurred to me yesterday," House wrote on October 19, "to suggest to the President in the event of his defeat to ask both Marshall and Lansing to resign and then appoint Hughes Secretary of State. He should then resign himself, making Hughes President of the United States. Times are too critical to have an interim of four months between the election and inauguration of the next President. If the submarine war were should be reopened the President would not wish to take any action which might embarrass the incoming administration. It would be the brave, it would be the patriotic and the proper procedure to allow Hughes to assume the reins of government at once."

"The defect in our government shows itself here, and its negative quality (as I pointed out in Philip Dru) is a source of weakness at such times."

House to President.

New York, Oct. 20, 1916.
Dear Governor:

If Hughes is elected—which God forbid—what do you think of asking both Lansing and Marshall to resign, appoint Hughes Secretary of State and then resign yourself? This would be a patriotic thing to do.

Such a procedure would save the situation from danger and embarrassment.

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October 27, 1916: I told Polk of my suggestion to the President.

House to President.

New York, Nov. 4, 1916.
Dear Governor:

I have taken a final survey of the field and I can not reach any other conclusion but that the fight is won. The Herald poll tomorrow will indicate your election, but their distribution of votes does not agree with ours. In my opinion our figures are infinitely more accurate. It is the first time we have ever known in advance, with any degree of certainty, the final result.

I have perfect confidence in the result. Affectionately yours,
E. M. HOUSE.

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(Continued tomorrow.)
Maj. Hodges Named
Cadet Commandant

Maj. Campbell B. Hodges, infantry, has been appointed commandant of cadets at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, N. Y., as successor to Maj. John G. Quekemyer, who died recently. It was announced by Secretary of War Dwight F. Davis yesterday.

The appointment of Maj. Hodges takes effect on the accession of Brig. Gen. M. B. Stewart to the superintendency of the academy. Maj. Hodges was born in Bossier Parish, La., May 27, 1881, and is a graduate of West Point, class of 1903. During the world war he served as acting chief of staff of the Thirty-first "Dixie" division, as colonel of the 122d infantry and on the general staff. He wears the distinguished service medal and has just returned from a tour of duty as military attaché at Madrid, Spain.

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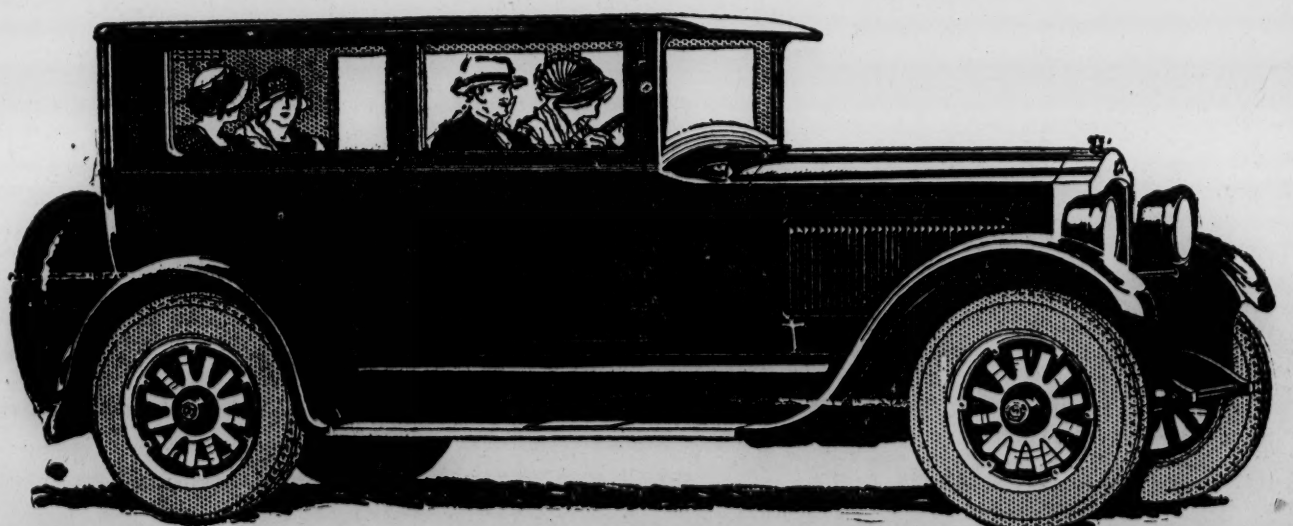
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PENNSYLVANIA POLITICS.

Pennsylvania may claim more national interest in the congressional elections this fall than even New York or Illinois. Representative William S. Vare is the reason. He is expected to enter the Republican primaries in May against Senator Pepper and Gov. Pinchot, which will make it a three-cornered contest with prohibition as one of the dominant issues. Of course, there is always the battle between the organization and antiorganization elements, but the liquor question, it appears, will overshadow all others should Mr. Vare decide to toss his hat into the ring. Mr. Vare is an avowed wet, and if he becomes a candidate he will base his candidacy for the nomination on a modification of the Volstead law. Gov. Pinchot is one of the country's leading dries, and Senator Pepper is also dry.

Pennsylvania is supposed to be a wet State. Should Vare become a candidate, political observers believe he would carry Philadelphia by 150,000, which would be a fairly good-sized vote to overcome in the rest of the State, especially if the dry vote were split between Pepper and Pinchot. Vare, it is said, is convinced that a strong wet can defeat two dries, and it is admitted that the fight between Pepper and Pinchot will be a bitter one. Gov. Pinchot has not yet announced his candidacy, but it is taken for granted that he will do so before long.

It is almost impossible to conceive of Pennsylvania electing a Democrat to the United States Senate, yet in 1874 William A. Wallace was elected as a Democrat, serving from 1875 to 1881. He was the only Democrat ever elected to the Senate from Pennsylvania after 1856.

The Democrats have not yet discovered an outstanding member of the party who would appeal to the voters. The fight among the Republicans has given them hope, and it is probable they will make an effort to unite upon a man who might appeal to voters as a second choice in view of the complications that divide the Republicans. Should Vare happen to defeat his opponents in the Republican primaries he would undoubtedly receive the vote of many wet Democrats. But on the other hand, if either Pepper or Pinchot should win the nomination, many Republicans and independents who are against prohibition would probably vote for the Democratic candidate.

A bachelor is a man whose untrained ear can't distinguish between quarreling and jawing.

MINE EXPLOSIONS.

Congress is asked to appropriate \$396,000 for the next fiscal year to pay for the work of the bureau of mines in the investigation of causes of mine explosions, the appliances best adapted to prevent accidents, the best possible improvement of conditions, the use of explosives and electricity, the prevention of accidents, and other inquiries.

The Federal bureau of mines does not inspect mines; inspection is a function of the States in which the mines are situated. In some cases, at the request of the management, the men of the Federal bureau have examined coal mines and submitted a report to the management, giving their opinion as to how well safety precautions are being observed in that property. This is purely an advisory service, which the management may ignore if it sees fit. However, when the Federal officers are giving first aid and mine-rescue training they usually go into the mines. Thus far during this fiscal year, seven coal mine disasters have occurred where Federal employees of the bureau of mines have been present, rendering all possible assistance.

The bureau of mines cooperates with the British government, maintaining observers in the laboratories of the British safety in mines research board, and the British board maintains observers in the American bureau. Through cooperation with the public health service, surgeons from that service are detailed to the bureau of mines to assist in investigating health conditions.

If a man has a bad liver and guessed wrong about winter, all he can do now is prophesy a late spring.

PROOF OF PROSPERITY.

If Postmaster General New's clerks and cashiers in the "fifty industrial offices" which are listed in the latest report from the department keep up the pace which they set in February, Mr. New will have no excuse left for insisting upon an increase in the rates of postage.

The receipts of these 50 offices for February, 1926, were 11.03 per cent greater, in the aggregate, than for the corresponding month a year ago. The cities included were not the largest by any means, but the postal receipts indicate a decidedly healthy growth throughout the entire country, and further they appear to bear out the contention of the President that the general business of the country is prosperous.

An examination of the department's bulletin on this subject will perhaps cause some surprise when it is seen that the city showing the

largest increase in postal receipts was Tampa—not Miami, Fla.—where the growth reached 49.72 per cent. Reno, Nev., with an increase of 46 1/4 per cent, was second in the list. Sioux Falls, S. Dak., with 43.56 per cent, and Jackson, Miss., with 41.20 per cent, ranked third and fourth in the list, respectively. The wave of prosperity as shown by the growth of postal receipts is not confined to any one section of the country.

If he has a lingering handicap, he knows how to tickle a prejudice and make it afford him a living.

ADMIRAL WAINWRIGHT.

At 11 o'clock this morning funeral services will be conducted in St. John's church over the body of Admiral Richard Wainwright. Then it will be buried in Arlington, near the comrades who helped Admiral Wainwright make history in the battle off Santiago in 1898, when Cervera's fleet was destroyed.

With the single exception of Admiral W. H. Brownson, who still lives in Washington, "Dick" Wainwright was the last survivor of the American commanders who met Cervera on that fateful day. He commanded the *U.S.S. Gloucester*, which had been the pleasure yacht *Corsair*, owned by J. Pierpont Morgan. Commander Wainwright fearlessly attacked the *Furor* and the *Pluton*, and on the deck of the *Gloucester* received the sword of Admiral Cervera as he surrendered the last vestige of his fleet.

Of the commanders of the American ships there were Capt. C. E. Clark, of the Oregon; Robley D. Evans, of the Iowa; H. C. Taylor, of the Indiana; J. H. Higginson, of the Massachusetts; J. W. Phillips, of the Texas, and W. H. Folger, of the New Orleans. Commanders B. H. McCalla, of the *Marblehead*; W. H. Brownson, of the *Yankee*; Lieut. Comdr. A. Sharpe, of the *Vixen*, and Richard Wainwright, of the *Gloucester*. Only Brownson remains to pay his last tribute of respect to his comrade, Wainwright. All the others have been summoned to the "home port."

It seems a shame to waste Wales as a figure-head. What a ward politician that boy would make.

THE POTASH INDUSTRY.

A bill has been reintroduced in the Senate providing for an appropriation of \$550,000 each year for five years to permit the geological survey and the bureau of soils of the Department of Agriculture to determine the location and extent of potash deposits in the United States and to study improved methods of recovering potash therefrom.

Since the United States is perhaps the largest consumer of potash in the world, this matter should interest all farmers and growers of crops. It will be recalled that in 1922 an effort was made to encourage the production of American potash by imposing a small protective duty for a few years, decreasing each year until the duty was removed altogether.

Agricultural associations and many members of Congress opposed the suggestion, on the ground that such a plan would impose a tax of many millions of dollars on the American farmers. It was contended, on the other hand, that unless the American industry was encouraged and promoted so as to be able to compete with the German-French producers in the American markets, the American farmers would soon be at the mercy of the foreign manufacturers, as to price. That prediction came true, to a degree.

Now it is suggested that the government should spend \$550,000 annually for four years for the purpose of permitting two Federal establishments to investigate and ascertain where, in the United States, deposits of potash may be found that might be worked profitably.

Impressed with the need of developing a home supply of potash, the geological survey and the bureau of soils for ten years have employed every known method of research and discovery at their command. Specimens of potash have been discovered in the natural state of such richness and of such varied location as to lead to the conclusion that there exists in certain sections of the United States beds of natural potash rivaling those of Germany and France.

These beds are found in western Texas, eastern New Mexico, western Oklahoma and southwestern Kansas. In the sands of New Jersey and in deposits in Wyoming and Utah, as well as in the brines of Nebraska, Utah, California and other States, there are extensive sources of potash for which practical processes of recovery and manufacture can be developed.

During the world war, an American potash industry of respectable size was established; but when the war was over the German competition was too severe. Congress failed to give the American enterprise protection, and it has declined to small proportions. It is certain that the domestic industry can not reach any size in competition with the German-French production without some government encouragement. This is a matter in which the American farmers and growers are vitally interested.

The Ritchie platform: I am betting there are more wet voters than dry voters.

EUGENE FIELD.

There was something peculiarly appropriate in the ceremonies attending the removal of the remains of Eugene Field from an obscure grave in Graceland cemetery to a specially built tomb in the cloister of the Episcopal church of the Holy Comforter at Kenilworth. Not only was his most famous poem, "Little Boy Blue," which with its simple but poignant pathos has touched the hearts of all who have read it, recited as a requiem by a personal friend, but also little children in scores mingled with the throngs of distinguished literary and journalistic personages who had assembled to do honor to the memory of the author of "Wyandottus," "Blythen and Nod," "The Rock-a-By Lady from Hushaby Street" and "Seelen Things at Night."

It is impossible to think of Eugene Field, or to write of him, without a peculiar feeling of affection. Lovable, genial, convivial and, alas! impecunious, he was a great practical joker and perpetrator of literary hoaxes. Owing much to his New England upbringing, he was still so thorough a Westerner that time after time he declined remunerative offers from Eastern newspapers, because, as he said, "They didn't have that either." The third said, "I didn't see that there trick there." And they didn't have this.

Finally the old clown who had been standing listening to them stepped up and pointing his finger to the larger and applauding audience pictured on the bill, said, "No, and Durn 'em, they didn't have that crowd either!"

Prout. In "Sharps and Flats," the special column which he conducted in the Daily News, he offered to the patrons of that newspaper not only jokes, poems and tales, but also free translations from Horace and all sorts of book lore. Writing for the masses, he did not always yield to the obvious popular demand, but gave to the man in the street occasional glimpses of matters and themes that belong essentially to the higher literary culture. To that extent he succeeded in democratizing literature.

It is, however, as a child lover that he will live longest in the history of American literature, and the simple epitaph carved on the marble slab over his new tomb, "Eugene Field, 1850-1895, the children's poet," tells, and to future generations will continue to tell, wherein his principal excellence lay. A better and more enduring epitaph still is "Little Boy Blue" itself.

It is estimated that 2,673,200 more Americans now know that "Bituminous" isn't the name of a Pullman car.

AMERICAN EXPORTS.

Since the world war, the United States has taken a front rank in the exports of commodities to the markets of the world. In 1922 American exports of domestic commodities were valued at \$3,831,000,000; in 1924 at \$4,908,000,000—an increase in value of more than a billion dollars. The excess of commodity exports over commodity imports was something like \$774,000,000. This excess was about one-half of the excess of all of the 27 commercial countries of the world having an excess of exports over imports. This picture the enormous export trade of the United States, as compared with other countries.

Today a veritable multitude of American commodities can be seen in all the markets of the world. American breakfast foods and bacon; American household articles; American automobiles; American boots and shoes; American machinery; American chemicals; American hides and leather; American cotton cloth and American canned goods are seen in nearly every foreign market.

The bureau of foreign commerce in the Department of Commerce devotes time and money in helping American institutions secure foreign market openings. This bureau cooperates with business organizations all over the country. Business looks to the Department of Commerce for advice, information and opportunities.

The success of the bureau of foreign commerce is pictured in the figures of the increase in American exports since 1922. No other country in the world has such a record.

It is interesting and surprising to learn that of all the States in the Union, Texas leads in the value of exports in 1924, its original shipments amounting to more than \$737,208,000. Texas leads New York State, whose total original exports were \$731,592,000. Pennsylvania, Illinois and California come next in order, New Jersey being sixth and Louisiana seventh. Then come Michigan and Virginia and Ohio, all above the \$100,000,000 mark.

These enormous volumes of exports from the United States have been brought about in the face of government export subsidies granted in Great Britain, France, Belgium, Italy and Spain. Manufactures constitute the greatest value of exports, agriculture coming next, with mining third.

This is a remarkable showing, and demonstrates the benefit of organized government activity in the search for foreign markets.

UNCLE SAM'S GOLD.

The United States Treasury today holds gold coin and bullion of the value of \$3,718,345,736.14. This vast wealth is stored in the vaults of the assay office in New York city and in the various mints throughout the country, only about \$5,000,000 being now held in the Treasury in Washington. The hoard of gold represents approximately 45 per cent of all the gold bullion and coin in the world. Just how much more is stored in the vaults of banks and trust companies with other financial institutions is not recorded.

Comparatively little of the metal gets into actual circulation, but is represented by gold certificates, of which there were outstanding at the beginning of the current month \$1,707,776,149. Of the remainder of the supply \$656,749,035.12 is the gold fund of the Federal reserve board and \$154,188,886.20 is reserve against outstanding United States notes and Treasury notes of 1890. Gold in the general fund amounts to \$199,631,665.82. Uncle Sam also holds \$457,031,345 in silver dollars in his strong box, besides a few tens of millions in "subsidiary coin" for small change.



The Worst joke I heard today was told to me by F. B. Irvin, of Salisbury, North Carolina. He is City Editor of the Salisbury Post. If you have never been to North Carolina you ought to go there. It is one of the most progressive States in the Union. It's got something behind it, a pay roll. Well, Mr. Irvin tells the following story that was told to him by a famous old clown of by-gone Circus days, John Lowlow, who traveled for years with the John Robinson and Sells Brothers show, and who was the most famous Circus Comedian of his day, a college graduate, and a fine fellow in addition. Mr. Lowlow related it to Irvin.

The Robinson and Sells show was showing in Hickory, N. C. The town was packed, watching the street parade, but the attendance at the show that afternoon was very poor. They wanted to see the parade, but they didn't care about paying to see the show. It's kinder like Luncheon Club members come and speak to them, but they don't go in much for paying to see the show. Mr. Lowlow was out on the street after the show, and he saw three old Country fellows looking at the Bill Boards with all the various acts and stunts pictured to all of it showed seats packed to capacity, looking at the wonderful performance.

A native pointed to a certain stunt and said, "They didn't have that." Another companion singled out another act and said, "They didn't have that either." The third said, "I didn't see that there trick there." And they didn't have this.

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Gentle Spring in Geneva.

PRESS COMMENT

Give Her a Chance.

Chicago News: Ernestine Schumann-Heink, veteran of the operatic stage, says of Marion Talley, aged 19, the Kansas City girl who was hailed as a successful prima donna on her first appearance in grand opera in New York: "Do not judge her voice finally until she has had a chance to live."

Many an older artist, poet, writer, has dined into the ears of the youthful aspirants the advice, "Go and live." Only years of poignant experience, they know, can give the mellowness and the smoldering sincerity that marks the finished artist.

By "living" Mme. Schumann-Heink, mother as well as singer, did not mean the sort of "life" in which chorus girls bathe in tubs full of wine. She meant the experience that only time, long struggle for the realization of ideals and unselfish devotion to others inevitably bring.

It is such living that develops truly the intellectual and spiritual powers that underlie high achievement.

Congress Looking Natural.

Philadelphia Public Ledger: Congress shows signs of becoming its familiar self again. For three months Capitol Hill has been a busy place, devoted to the business of legislation. It has done a great deal of work and has deserved well of the country. Congress is now showing signs of a relapse. It feels that it is entitled to pay a little more at least to the actual business of legislation.

After the War.

Philadelphia Record: During the period when it was feared that war between Great Britain and Germany would be inevitable some Germans who were operating in South America, using funds obtained in London for that purpose, asked the British bankers how they while being treated after the war was over. The reply was, "Like gentlemen." In the society columns under a Washington date this item appears:

An important date in diplomatic circles is Wednesday, March 24, for which evening the British Ambassador has accepted an invitation to dine at the German embassy, thus closing a breach of twelve years and reestablishing social as well as official relations here between the late enemy nations.

Athletics by Radio.

Baltimore Sun: No one should despise the whimsical notions of college men. They may turn out to be very practical—as, for instance, the scheme which Haverford leads have devised for a track meet by radio with Williams or the City college of New York. This is a method of conducting competitive athletics likely to force some action from modest participants such as Jack Dempsey, a most retiring battler. It would shock him to switch on his receiver and find that a challenger was swinging at him through the ether.

Mexico Can't Understand.

Cincinnati Enquirer: After reading about conditions in Chicago, Mexico must be considerably puzzled in trying to figure out why this country insisted on her cleaning up Tia Juana.

Train Telephones.

Philadelphia Inquirer: The Pennsylvania railroad has successfully demonstrated the value of the telephone system on a long freight train. On the Port Wayne division a conductor in a caboose, separated from the locomotive by 73 cars, informed the engineer of a switching operation in the rear of the train that saved a slowing down. Later

The Worship of Smoothness

By GLENN FRANK

I SUGGEST that we should be suspicious of an organization that runs too smoothly.

In our passion for eliminating friction we may lose some precious values; we may lose the baby down the drain pipe along with the bath water.

Whether we are interested in the management of a corner grocery or the congress of nations, we should, I think, beware of the worship of smoothness.

A little while ago, when I was trying to decide whether I should or should not accept the responsibility of the presidency of a university, I had to consider the relative values of the life of a free-lance critic and the life of a responsible administrator.

I faced a dilemma. I was beginning to feel, I must confess, a little impatience over having to deal with some of the most interesting issues of my time at arm's length, as a free-lance critic must.

I felt the itch to deal with certain living issues at close range, as an administrator may. I wanted to deal at first hand with some of the raw materials of the affairs of my time. And where, I thought, should a man turn in quest of the living raw materials of contemporary civilization if not to the field of education? It seemed clear to me that the schoolmaster stands at the point where all the rich and radiant forces of human society come to focus; that the living issues of religion, of politics, of industry, of ethical adjustment, and of social evolution, all beat about the head of the schoolmaster who is unwilling merely to sit complacently behind the breastworks of accumulated knowledge.

The case for the acceptance of an administrative post in the field of education seemed clear, when suddenly the ghost of a great caution peered in at the window—and it is still there.

I suddenly realized that the unavoidable temptation of every administrator is to commit the unpardonable sin of worshipping smoothness. We shall never know how many new ideas and creative minds have been sacrificed on the altar of smoothness in the running of an organization.

A really valuable new idea inevitably causes friction. A really creative mind is likely to cause friction in any organization that has been running in well-oiled grooves for a generation.

The administrator must stand eternally on guard against the temptation to close the door to a new idea that involves changes in his organization, and to avoid calling to his side creative minds that will blaze new trails in his organization.

A good administrator looks for good manners in his associates. A great administrator looks for good minds in his associates.

The first means smoothness; the second means creativeness. It is only at the price of eternal vigilance that men charged with the responsibility of administering any institution can consistently choose the friction of life in preference to the smoothness that may mean death.

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upon consultation with the conductor the engineer was able to avoid a stop for water.

Perhaps the wonderful part of the experiment was the fact that the trainmen were each able to get the right number the first time.

Picking on Congress.

Indianapolis News: One thing in favor of March is that she only blows for four weeks, while Congress goes on indefinitely.

The Craze for Memoirs.

Detroit News: It is hoped Mr. Haney, who has finally resigned from the Shipping Board, will not fatigue himself from now on telling people how he told the President.

A Juicy Cutlet.

Chicago News: Having been assured even by the conservative Mr. Mellon that the nation can afford it, the United States will sit back and prepare to enjoy its new tax cut.

Easy Ball for Criminals.

New York Times: Nobody who has given any attention at all to the problem created by what is called the "crime wave" has any doubt of the serious evil involved in the ease with which professional criminals as well as first offenders can get bail as soon as they are arrested. Commissioner McLaughlin is only one of many with knowledge on the subject who have denounced this abuse of the law, and the larger

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

In the Bureau of Engraving.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Permit me to call attention to the fact that in the bureau of engraving and printing the women and girls are given no sick leave.

The work of these women and girls is of a most taxing nature, physically and mentally. Often the double strain is so great that they have to retire to a sickroom, where a physician and three trained nurses are in attendance daily.

In many cases the annual leave of 30 days is taken up in sickness, so these women and girls have no vacation at all. It is an injustice that 30 days sick leave is not granted these hard-worked women, who never " loaf," but are often overworked at a wage that does not equal a day laborer's. The 100 plus women and girls in the numbering division of the bureau are skilled experts, most of them having been in the bureau for years before promoted to the numbering division. They give the last touch to all United States notes prior to shipment to the banks of the United States. Not only do these women count the notes (100 to the package), but must see that the serial numbers on the notes are correct, the issue of all the same notes in each package the same, &c.

They handle and count all notes going to banks, from \$1 to \$10,000 in denominations. A factor, too, is the honesty of these too poorly paid women to cure for the director of the bureau should see to it that they are paid at least a wage that will net them \$1,500 per annum, with 30 days sick leave annually. W. E. RYAN.

Washington, March 8.

Save the Trees!

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I do applaud, with the greatest vigor, the cartoons against the stupid people who are ruining our beautiful woods. It's a little late to save most of them, but perhaps a few more cartoons like this delightful "Jack the Ripper" one will save the rest. S. H. POWELL.

Washington, March 5.

For Better Retirement Law.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: On behalf of Men's Local No. 249, National Federation of Federal Employees, I desire to express our sincere thanks for your timely and convincing editorials for a better retirement law for government employees. Too much can not be written on this subject and the interest displayed by your paper is greatly appreciated by the employees of Uncle Sam. J. E. BORLAND, President No. 249.

Washington, March 5.

An Architectural Blunder.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Noticing the published design for the proposed memorial to the boys of this city who gave their lives for civilization, this subscriber feels it time to raise a protest.

We have many atrocities of design about town now; so why add another, especially when it is to cost so much money?

The design looks "pretty," no doubt, to the average person; but to one versed in architecture, putting a Roman dome on a row of Grecian Doric columns is a clear case of miscegenation. A. A. VIGNOLA.

Washington, March 2.

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CAPITAL SOCIETY EVENTS

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. COOLIDGE entertained a small company, most of whom were from Wisconsin, at the White House yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock to hear the University of Wisconsin Glee club in a short recital, given in the east room.

Mrs. Kellogg, wife of the Secretary of State, entertained at dinner last evening, when the guests were the Belgian Ambassador and Baroness de Cartier, the French Ambassador and Mme. Berenger, the Minister of Greece and Mme. Simopoulos, Representative and Mrs. Ogden L. Mills, Mr. Leland Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Olds, Mr. Richard Washburn Child, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren and Mrs. Richard Townsend.

Mr. Kellogg, accompanied by his brother-in-law, Mr. Frank J. Otis, of St. Paul, departed Sunday for Pinehurst, N. C., where they will remain for a week.

The Speaker of the House, Mr. Longworth, was the guest in whose honor the "Baby Cabinet" entertained at dinner last evening at the Willard. Those present were the Undersecretary of State, Mr. Joseph C. Grew; the Assistant Secretary of State, Mr. J. Butler Wright; the Assistant Secretary of State, Mr. Wilbur J. Carr; the Undersecretary of the Treasury, Mr. Garrard B. Winston; the Assistant Secretaries of the Treasury, Mr. McKenzie Moss, Mr. Charles S. Dewey and Brig. Gen. Lincoln C. Andrews; the Assistant Secretary of War, Mr. Hester; the Assistant Attorneys General, Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, Mr. Charles D. Lawrence, Mr. Ira Lloyd Letts and Mr. Bertice M. Parmenter; Mr. Loughing; the Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, Mr. R. W. Dunlap; the Assistant Secretary of Commerce, Mr. J. Walter Drake; the Assistant Secretary of Labor, Mr. Robt. Carl White, and the Assistant Postmasters General, Mr. John H. Bartlett and Mr. Robert S. Regar.

The Minister of Poland and Mme. Ciechanowska have issued invitations for a musicale on Saturday evening at the legation.

Entertain at Dinner.

The Minister of Czechoslovakia, Mr. Zdenek Fierlinger, entertained at dinner last evening.

The Minister of China and Mme. Sze will entertain informally at dinner at the legation Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Butler, of Buffalo, N. Y.

The Naval Attache of the French Embassy and Mme. Willm will entertain at dinner Saturday evening.

Mr. D. Dimancesco, secretary of the Roumanian legation, has returned to Washington from New York, where he went with the former Minister of Roumania, Prince Bibesco, when Prince Bibesco sailed for Europe.

Mr. Cleveland Perkins will entertain at a dinner and dance on Saturday, March 27 at the Montgomery Country club.

Senator and Mrs. Guy Despard Goff have cancelled their social engagements due to the illness of their aunt, Mrs. George Porter.

Representative and Mrs. B. Carroll Reece have cancelled all their social engagements owing to the serious illness of their aunt, Mrs. Porter.

Mrs. Robert N. Stanfield, wife of the senator from Oregon, has issued invitations for a dinner which she will give in the presidential suite at the Willard Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Melton Hudgins are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Franklin George, wife of Senator George, of Georgia, will entertain at luncheon at the

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Mrs. John J. Higgins, of Rockville, Md., announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Harriet Elizabeth Higgins, to the Rev. James Murdoch.

Mrs. Charles Deneen and her guests, Mrs. Anthon and Mrs. Carl Birdsall, at the guests in honor of whom Mrs. David Allan Robertson has invited a small group to tea tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock. Mrs. Birdsall is Senator and Mrs. Deneen's daughter.

Mrs. Theodore Shuey returned Saturday on the New Amsterdam from Europe and has joined Mr. Shuey at the Congress Hall hotel.

Mrs. Absalom Waller, who has been passing a week at the Brighton hotel, Atlantic City, N. J., will depart today for a short visit in New York before returning to Washington.

Mr. Cyril Maude and several of the English players who are in Washington this week had supper informally last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bacon, who had invited a small number of friends following the theater.

Mrs. Deming Jarves, of Dinard, France, has arrived in Washington and taken an apartment at the Mayflower for the spring.

The former Minister of Finance of Canada and Lady White are at the Wardman Park hotel, where they expect to remain for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bleyden will be the hosts this evening at dinner at the Arts club, when the Minister of Latvia and Mme. Seya will be the honor guests. Following the dinner there will be an evening of Latvian poetry and music.

Col. and Mrs. J. Weston Myers, of New York, are at the Powhatan and plan to remain for the week.

Marriage Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Arthur Oswald announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Charlotte Anne Oswald, to Mr. Raymond McCutcheon, son of Mr. George B. McCutcheon, of Philadelphia, at Orlando, Fla. on March 3. They will make their home in Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Sears, Jr., of Boston, are at the Mayflower.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Donnelly, of St. Paul, arrived yesterday at the Willard from Cuba, where they passed a month. After passing a few days here, they plan to return to St. Paul. Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly were accompanied to Washington by Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Clark.

Mrs. H. E. C. Bryant, of Cleveland Park, has returned to Washington after passing the winter in the Panama Canal zone. She was at Ancon, at the home of Maj. W. A. Murphy, U. S. A. Miss Kate Pearshall, of Morgantown, N. C., and Miss May Murphy, of Staunton, Va., who went with her, are still in Panama.

Rear Admiral and Mrs. John A. Rogers had several guests with

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No. 9.

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Special to The Washington Post.

New York, March 8 (By A. P.).—A score of girls whose names grace the pages of the social register and many prominent actresses made their debut today—not into society, but into the grocery business as clerks. The fund for social service work of the Neurological Institute was increased thereby.

Through the courtesy of James Reeves, head of a chain of provisions stores, 20 per cent of the day's gross sales in five stores in the Park avenue district went to charity.

Jane Cowl, Anita Loos and Alma Gluck sold caviar to hundreds of folk simply because they could get more for caviar than for anything else on the shelves.

As amateur saleswomen, serving on the cooperation committee of the institute, women of society and the theater broke about even when it came to getting the money. They pretty nearly cleaned out one Reeves store on Madison avenue. That was the handiest place for society to go and it went.

Autograph Raises Price. Mrs. Montgomery Hare, in charge there, sold a can of peas; she autographed the label. That hoisted the price automatically, and when Miss Cowl or Miss Loos attached their signature to the guarantee of high-powered Camembert, the cheese assumed at once a new ratio of value.

The energetic force behind the counters of one of the Reeves stores included Mrs. Linzee Blagdon, Miss Louisa Iselin, Miss Mabel Choate, Mrs. Harry Horton Genard, Princess Viggo, Mrs. Percy Tennure, Mrs. Sidney Berk, Miss Mary Lincoln Aldrich and Mrs. Chase Mellon.

A society matron was in charge of each store. Mrs. Sidney C. Borg, Mrs. Montgomery Hare, Miss Mary Lincoln Aldrich, Mrs. J. Horton Ijams and Mrs. Chase Mellon being the managers.

Their assistants, clad in green linen smocks, occupied themselves taking orders from the patrons who jammed the stores and in checking orders put up by the regular clerks.

Debs Work Energetically. Then there was a flying squadron, mostly debutantes, which obtained advance orders. It included the Misses Carol Rhodes, Susan Mellon, Eleanor Melcher, Alice F. Hammond, Evelyn Lawman, Betty Condon, Mary Holland, Victoria Frelinghuysen and Dorothy Milburn.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt bought \$50 worth of canned peas, which nobody in the Roosevelt household ever ate, merely because one of the young women—Victoria Frelinghuysen—according to report, insisted there never were such canned peas.

Jan Claire held forth in one store which was riotous with eager traders. Among her aids were Lydia Look, Jane Schley, Janet Williams, Margaret Match and Miriam Miller. All the shop girls came to work in threes. They stuck it out until long after normal closing time, and if there's any money left in Park avenue, it isn't the fault of the society saleswomen. The amount going to the fund will not be computed until tomorrow.

Trade Body Committees Named. New members of three committees of the Chamber of Commerce appointed for the year were announced yesterday. The committees with the chairmen and vice chairmen are: Public utilities, Harry King and A. E. Seymour; law and legislation, C. Melvin Sharpe and Proctor L. Dougherty; District national guard, Maj. Gen. Anton Stephan and Frank S. Hight.

WILLIAMS ROBBERS GOT PASTE JEWELS

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years ago, according to the police, and it is thought possible that the former footman might have fallen in with the bandits and have told them about the jewelry and have given them other necessary information.

The paste jewelry, fashioned into replicas of the genuine, had been manufactured for Mrs. Williams for the very purpose they served—to fool robbers. Virtually all wealthy women have such a supply of paste jewels, according to police, and some times they are worn in public.

The robbers took the paste jewels after they had entered the second-floor room of Mrs. Williams, bound and gagged her and stripped a ring from her finger and a bracelet from her wrist.

The ring, which was set with diamonds and emeralds, was the only article of any great value taken by the robbers, according to Mrs. Williams. The pearl bracelet, she said, although it was invested with much sentimental value, had little intrinsic value.

Scores of society women called at the sixteenth street house yesterday to leave their cards and inquire about Mrs. Williams. No one was permitted to see her. Friends were told that, considering her age and the rough treatment accorded her by the robbers, she was resting well.

Joseph Peter Davis, 22 years old, of New York, who was captured shortly after the robbery and who is said to have confessed to his part in it, was held incommunicado at the Third precinct station yesterday. Meanwhile a widespread search was started for his companions.

Just how many men took part in the robbery is something of a mystery. Servants in the Williams home said that they saw six. Police, however, were inclined to the belief that there were only three. They thought that the robbers moved about so quickly that the servants were confused.

What puzzles the police is how the robbers happened to have such an intimate knowledge of conditions in the Williams household. When they first heard five of the servant girls into the dining room, one of them said:

"How's this? There ought to be seven of you. Where are the others?"

Subsequently the robbers corralled all seven servants, bound their hands with twine and kept them prisoners in the dining room. The robbers had gained entrance to the house by flashing badges and telling the servant who answered the door that they were secret service men.

The one thing that the robbers did not know, it seems, was that Mrs. Williams' daughter, Mrs. Williams, was in the house. When they discovered that she was there, according to Mrs. Wilder, they apparently lost their courage.

Mrs. Wilder was in a room above that of her mother when she heard the commotion caused by the robbers. She leaned over the banister and inquired as to what was wrong. She then descended the stairs.

A man believed to have been Davis confronted Mrs. Wilder at the foot of the stairs, pointed a revolver at her and demanded to know where her diamonds were. She told him she had no diamonds.

"He might easily have harmed me," said Mrs. Wilder, "but he grew excited and it seemed to me he lost his nerve. He disappeared a moment later."

Mrs. Wilder was extravagant in her praise of Miss Helen Drake, secretary to her mother, who pretended that she had fainted when the robbers seized her, and who, a little later, ran to the Martineau hotel, two doors away, and summoned the police.

SHOALS MEASURE PASSED BY SENATE

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tee provided for in the resolution would comprise three members of the Senate agriculture committee and a like number from the House military committee. The committee authorized to negotiate for private lease of the properties for not more than 60 years and would be directed to reject any offer less remunerative to the government than that made by Henry Ford several years ago. Any bid approved by the committee would be subject to action by Congress before it could be made effective.

Party lines played little part in the final roll call. Thirty-four Republicans and 17 Democrats voted for the resolution, while 13 Democrats, 12 Republicans and the one Farmer-Labor senator voted against it.

PROHIBITION LOOMS AS CHIEF ISSUE IN CAPITOL CIRCLES

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ed efforts to tighten up enforcement are announced.

News of an unusual character came from the Senate and assumed importance because it leaked out from under-surface developments connected with the hearings held by the Senate judiciary committee on Senator Edge's light wine and beer bill and Senator Bruce's attempt to amend the Eighteenth amendment. Meanwhile, reports reaching senators that more than 400 newspapers in the country were printing polls on the prohibition question with results disturbing to the dry cause had an added effect on wet and dry senators.

But the day's developments in the hearings appear to conclusively demonstrate that Wayne B. Wheeler and the Antisaloon league are as firmly in the saddle as ever so far as the members of the judiciary committee are concerned. After promising Senator Edge that public hearings would be permitted on his light wine and beer bill, Senator Cummins, chairman of the committee, found yesterday that the committee's chief desire now was to prevent the holding of public hearings.

No definite decision was announced after Senators Edge and Bruce had been cross-examined for an hour and a half, but Senator Borah is said to favor reporting all the suggested prohibition bills out adversely without public hearings and Senators Walsh, Caraway and others directed questions to the wet senator-witnesses indicating a desire to snuff the matter out by the shortest route. Still the question of holding public hearings went over until next week with the committee having reserved itself in direct line with the wishes of the Antisaloon league.

Secret of Opposition.

It developed later that the secret of the present opposition to public hearings is attributable to a conversation some days ago between Senator Edge and Senator Reed, of Missouri. Senator Edge wanted public hearings and was promised by Senator Cummins that a subcommittee would be appointed. He then went to Senator Reed, who is a member of the judiciary committee, and asked him to serve on the subcommittee. Senator Reed at first declined.

But when Mr. Edge said that Wayne B. Wheeler would be one of the witnesses and that Senator Reed would be given the task of cross-examining Mr. Wheeler on prohibition enforcement the senator from Missouri changed his mind and accepted. Then the news of this prospective scene began to leak out and steps were taken to nip the plan in the bud.

Senator Reed is rated as one of the best cross-examiners in the Senate and is hungry for real facts about prohibition. Mr. Wheeler is regarded as an opponent well worthy of Senator Reed's best efforts. But the big clash is not to be if the Senate judiciary committee can prevent it.

Still Another Angle.

Incidentally, there is another curious angle to yesterday's developments. The granting of public hearings and the pressing of any wet bills to a vote now would admittedly result in overwhelming victories for the dries. Therefore, Senators Edge, Bruce and Edwards will probably be in much better position to continue their fight if public hearings are denied them and if their bills are not pressed.

The senators who are now taking the lead in preventing public hearings and keeping back the facts are the ones who have almost unbroken records in favor of letting the public be heard freely and without restriction on all issues. Prohibition, according to Senator Edge's supporters, provides the first case where these senators want "the lid clapped on."

"If they thought the hearings would be any benefit to the dry cause," said Senator Edge, "they would want a dozen hearings."

"Surely no one would contend that prohibition is not an important public problem or that we should not be glad of all constructive information. The witnesses would include public officials, social uplift leaders, eminent educators and many others who would be able to contribute direct and practical information. A denial of public hearings, in my judgment, will make the demand for modification more determined than ever. Officials appointed to enforce the law freely admit the present situation is intolerable and to deny an effort to improve conditions, indefensible."

Senator Edge has three bills which were discussed in a general way by the judiciary committee yesterday. One removes restrictions

on prescriptions by physicians. Another provides for 2.75 beer, and the third provides for making cereal beverages legal up to the point where the Supreme Court decides that it is intoxicating.

Senator Bruce, who has a joint resolution amending the Constitution so that the government would have charge of dispensing liquor along the line of the law in Canada and leaving the States free to remain dry or become wet, was cross-examined at the hearings by Senators Walsh and Harrell. The two latter senators saw difficulties to his plan because of possible smuggling from wet to dry territory, and because of corruption of government officials, &c. The change suggested by Mr. Bruce did not appear ripe to the committee.

Bruce Sees Moral Ruin.

"Things are moving fast," Senator Bruce said, "and a change will come sooner than you gentlemen expect. Prohibition is working the moral ruin of our communities. The jails are filled. I haven't a friend in Maryland, who in prohibition days served mint juleps and wit on a table who does not serve wine and mint juleps on his table now."

This diverted the discussion as to whether there was more violation of the prohibition law by the wealthy or the poorer classes. "The people who fill the prisons are not the moneyed class," Senator Bruce retorted.

"You would not expect people in society to go into the bootleg business, would you?" asked Senator Walsh.

"The prohibition law has no moral sanction," Senator Bruce said later, with which conclusion Senator Walsh was expressed dissent. "The fight narrows down to whether the eighteenth amendment should or should not be a part of the Constitution," said Senator Borah. "If the eighteenth amendment is wrong there will be strong arguments to do away with it."

"But after you've modified the law you will have the same question on your hands. I don't want to see the prohibition law become a business of manufacturing and selling liquor. There would never be another issue in politics outside of that."

It Is Different in Canada.

"This is not so in Canada where the government handles the liquor problem," replied Senator Bruce. Senator Walsh at this point said he did not see how the amendments proposed by Senators Bruce and Edge would help matters.

"Would there be any less liquor sold if they had light wines and beer?" he asked.

Senator Edge said that if the country had light wines and beer the only beverages possible under the eighteenth amendment, the liquor problem might not be solved, but the problem would be helped toward solution.

Senator Cummins wanted to know if there was any palatable wine that could be manufactured which would not be intoxicating, which brought the reply that this would depend to some extent at least on the amount imbibed.

"What good would the public hearings do?" Senator Caraway asked, which brought the reply from Senator Edge that he thought people who want to amend the law should at least have the right to come here and be heard.

Assistant Secretary Lincoln C. Andrews, in charge of prohibition enforcement, announced yesterday that the Treasury Department would shortly organize a special squad to concentrate on the problem of illicit liquor from cereal beverages, near beer factories and breweries. Another special operator will be appointed to oversee matters in connection with the wine problem.

There are now in operation, it was said, several special squads under John A. Foster which are devoting their attention to the diversion of alcohol from distilling plants. Another group of enforcement officers under Maj. Walton A. Green is investigating big liquor conspiracies.

These tightening up regulations encourage Gen. Andrews in the belief that signs of progress already made will be accentuated in the near future.

Methodist Board Demands Budnitz Resign His Post

The resignation of Edmund Budnitz, Maryland State prohibition administrator, was demanded yesterday by the board of temperance, prohibition and public morals of the Methodist Church through its official publication, the Clipshet. Dr. Charles True Wilson, general secretary of the board, in an interview yesterday said that "Budnitz was undoubtedly 'wet' and was making no attempt to enforce the law at all. Though stating that the board had taken no action on the matter, Dr. Wilson said the 'board wanted to call the people's attention to the fact that Budnitz was lax in his duty and incapable.'"

75 MILK WAGONS IN TODAY'S PARADE

Historic Pennsylvania avenue, scene of the Nation's greatest parades in peace and war, will witness a procession of 75 milk wagons this morning.

The wheeled war move in the parade of the industrial exposition of the Washington Chamber of Commerce being held in the Washington Auditorium. There will be 25 horse-drawn trucks, 25 gasolines-propelled trucks and 25 electric milk wagons, all the property of one local dairy.

The parade will leave Peace monument at the foot of the Capitol at 10 o'clock headed by the band of the District national guard.

It will turn north at Thirteenth and Pennsylvania avenue and go from there up to H street and west on H to Pennsylvania avenue. It will continue on M street to H street, turn east to Massachusetts avenue and down the avenue to Connecticut avenue and then down Seventeenth street to B where it will disband.

COUNCIL DEADLOCK REMAINS UNBROKEN

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fatly in support of Brazil's candidacy for a permanent seat. He believed Latin-Americans generally favored the Brazilian cause.

Reliable information indicates that so profoundly has the situation become favorable for places on the council affected world conditions the Vatican has intervened unofficially in support of the candidacy of Spain, Brazil and Poland, as Catholic countries.

Germans Agree to Dues Set.

A glimmer of hope was seen by some delegates in the sudden and surprising acceptance by Germany, without hesitation or question of fixation of her dues as a member of the league at the same figure as France, about \$400,000 annually. As for the council membership, the correspondent learns that the Japanese, feeling themselves in the disinterested position, stand ready to mediate at the last moment to prevent any breakdown of the negotiations.

They will probably lean toward the appointment of a subcommittee of the council to investigate the problem of the council's reconstruction after the election of Germany. Such an investigation might conceivably be held before the adjournment of the present session of the council.

The hum of conversation in the corridors became so deafening after the opening of the council session that Viscount Ishii sent out a messenger beseeching silence, declaring the noise prevented the delegates from hearing one another as they sat around the table.

A mass of rumors touching on the crisis gripped the crowd, which was composed of diplomats, delegates to the league assembly, newspaper men and members of the general public. These rumors ranged from predictions that the situation was hopeless and the league doomed to early forecasts that the whole matter would soon be clarified.

Dr. Alfonso D. Costa, former premier of Portugal, was elected president of the assembly by a majority of 36 votes.

Absence of U. S. Deplored.

President D. Costa in his inaugural address deplored the "absence of that great power, the United States," but declared that a new era was opening, thanks to the Locarno accord leading to Germany's entrance into the league.

Sir Austen Chamberlain, the British foreign secretary, was elected chairman of the first committee of the assembly which is to pass upon Germany's request for admission into the league. Louis Loucheur of France was elected chairman of the second committee, charged with the league budgetary affairs and the subject of Germany's dues.

By their selection Sir Austen and M. Loucheur automatically became vice presidents of the assembly. The six other vice presidents elected were: Sig. Schialia of Italy, Viscount Ishii of Japan, Sir James Allen of New Zealand, Senor Caballero of Paraguay, M. Titulesco of Rumania and Angel Morales of the Dominican republic.

FOREMAN, HAMMERED ON HEAD, NEAR DEATH

Police Seek Stone Mason After Man's Skull Is Fractured.

Phillip Vazzno, 52 years old, 727 Fourth street northeast, foreman of a gang of workmen constructing a building at Forty-third street and Nebraska avenue northwest, is in a critical condition in Emergency hospital as a result of having been struck over the head, police say, with a hammer by Giuseppe Gentile, 35 years old, 46 F street northwest, yesterday morning.

Vazzno is suffering from a fractured skull. Physicians say his recovery is doubtful. According to police, Gentile, a stone mason, approached his foreman yesterday morning and objected because several of his fellow workmen had been discharged recently. The men started to argue and Gentile, police allege, struck Vazzno over the head with an 8-pound stone mason's hammer.

Before other workmen had realized what had happened, Gentile disappeared. A search of the city for him by police last night proved fruitless.

RECITALS TO BE GIVEN.

First of Free Organ Concerts to Be in Congressional Library.

The first of a series of free organ recitals, open to the public without formality, will be given at 8:15 o'clock tonight in the auditorium of the Library of Congress, it was announced yesterday.

The concerts are under the supervision of the music division of the library and there will be given at the same time each Tuesday night this month.

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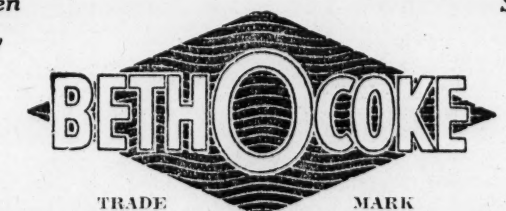
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NATIONAL ART GALLERY SITE OFFERED COUNTRY

Mrs. J. B. Henderson Makes Proposition to House Buildings Committee.

TRACT CONTAINS 5 ACRES

A site for a national art gallery, to be under management of the Smithsonian Institution, was offered to the government yesterday by Mrs. J. B. Henderson, 2200 Sixteenth street northwest.

Mrs. Henderson made her offer to Chairman Elliott, of the House public buildings and grounds committee, with the only condition that it be utilized for the gallery at once. The proffered tract embraces between four and five acres on Meridian hill, facing Sixteenth street. It is bounded by Seventeenth and Euclid streets and Kalorama road. Congress at the outset, Mrs. Henderson points out, would have to appropriate only a small amount for the preparation of plans for the building.

Expressing regret that Congress did not look 50 years ago to a national art gallery, Mrs. Henderson wrote Mr. Elliott that "the very splendid collection of pictures and certain other art objects, which have been already donated to the National Art Gallery of America, are now temporarily housed in the National Museum, where they are not welcome. Space in the museum allotted to these works, was not prepared for them, she said, and many valuable collections are kept in storage.

The new gallery should be so arranged, she said, to have accommodations for "governmental purposes, for national and international conferences and receptions." The time is coming, she said, when 20 acres will be necessary for a national art gallery, but she believes the tract which she offers will suffice for the present.

Veterans' Group Asks President to Georgia

A determined effort to have President Coolidge visit Georgia was initiated yesterday. A committee from the Disabled American Veterans visited the White House and asked the executive to attend their sixth national convention, which will meet in Atlanta the last week in June. Inasmuch as it is expected Congress will have adjourned by that time, there is a possibility that the President will find it possible to make the trip. He always has been actively interested in the affairs of the veterans, and it is believed it can be arranged he will meet with them.

In the delegation which extended the invitation were John W. Mahan, of Omaha, national commander; J. H. Finch, of Atlanta, State commander; and R. W. O'Neill, the youngest congressional medal of honor man and former sergeant at arms of the Disabled Veterans.

John Sargent, Jr.

By J. H. Striebel



TRADE GROUP FIGHTS TREADWAY COAL BILL

Board to Act March 25 on Measure to Regulate Dealers Here.

The executive committee of the Board of Trade yesterday approved the report of its industrial interests committee opposing the Treadway House bill providing a bureau of fuel administration to regulate the business of coal dealers in the District. The report will be submitted to the full meeting of the trade body March 23 for action.

Four new members were admitted to the board. They are Wayne G. Garman, William H. Kyle, Edward A. Varela and John G. Yates.

According to the by-laws of the United States Chamber of Commerce, the Board of Trade is entitled to one national councillor and ten delegates to represent it at the annual convention of the chamber in this city May 11 to 13. W. W. Everett has been designated national councillor, E. F. Colladay, alternate, and the following delegates to the convention: Arthur Carr, Charles F. Consaul, J. Harry Cunningham, John Joy Edson, Ben C. Graham, Francis R. Weller, Ben T. Webster, George W. Orutt, and Samuel J. Prescott.

J. Pierce Raynor, chairman of the traffic committee, was appointed to represent the body at the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety meeting here under auspices of the Department of Commerce March 23 to 25.

THE WEATHER

TODAY'S SUN AND TIDE TABLE
Sun rises.....6:30 High tide.....3:55 3:41
Sun sets.....6:08 Low tide.....9:30 9:22

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.
Washington, Monday, March 8, p. m.
Forecast for the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday; not much change in temperature, fresh northwest winds.
The disturbance that was over Connecticut Sunday night has advanced to New Brunswick with increased intensity. Father Point, 21.2 inches; Sydney, 20.42 inches. Pressure is low and falling over the plateau region. High pressure extends from Saskatchewan southwestward to the middle of the coast. During the last 24 hours light snows have occurred in the upper Ohio valley and northern New England, and rains in the middle Atlantic States, southern New England and along the middle and north Pacific coast. Temperatures have fallen in the Atlantic States and have risen in the middle and northern Pacific States.
The outlook for fair weather Tuesday and Wednesday in the States east of the Mississippi river, except for snow in northern New England on Tuesday and rains on Wednesday along the east gulf coast. Temperature changes will be unimportant.

Local Weather Report.

Temperature—Midnight, 30; 2 a. m., 27; 4 a. m., 26; 6 a. m., 27; 8 a. m., 28; 10 a. m., 34; 12 noon, 37; 2 p. m., 37; 4 p. m., 36; 6 p. m., 35; 8 p. m., 34; 10 p. m., 33; 12 midnight, 30; lowest, 29. Temperature same date last year—Highest, 67; lowest, 37. Relative humidity—8 a. m., 68; 2 p. m., 62; 8 p. m., 42. Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), 0.02. Hours of sunshine, 22. Per cent of possible sunshine, 10.

DEPARTURES FROM NORMAL.
Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1926, 1 degree.
Deficiency of precipitation since March 1, 1926, 37 degrees.
Accumulated excess of precipitation since January 1, 1926, 0.57 inch.
Deficiency of precipitation since March 1, 1926, 0.15 inch.

Flying Weather Forecast.

Forecast of flying weather March 9.
Washington to Long Island, N. Y., Norfolk, Dayton, Detroit—Fairly overcast sky Tuesday; fresh west and northwest winds up to 5,000 feet.
Detroit to Rantoul, Ill.; Moundsville, W. Va.—Mostly clear sky Tuesday; moderate northwest and west winds up to 5,000 feet.

Temperatures in Other Cities.

	Highest	Lowest	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.
Washington, D. C.	34	29	30	30	30
Asheville, N. C.	30	20	30	30	30
Atlanta, Ga.	48	34	44	44	44
Baltimore, Md.	38	22	30	30	30
Birmingham, Ala.	34	26	44	44	44
Bismarck, N. Dak.	41	14	58	58	58
Buffalo, N. Y.	38	24	30	30	30
Chicago, Ill.	24	10	24	24	24
Cincinnati, Ohio	26	16	26	26	26
Cleveland, Ohio	50	26	42	42	42
Columbus, Ohio	14	4	14	14	14
Davenport, Iowa	26	8	24	24	24
Denver, Colo.	40	30	40	40	40
Des Moines, Iowa	38	22	30	30	30
Detroit, Mich.	24	10	24	24	24
El Paso, Tex.	70	40	68	68	68
Galveston, Tex.	62	42	62	62	62
Helena, Mont.	52	34	48	48	48
Indianapolis, Ind.	22	10	22	22	22
Jacksonville, Fla.	44	38	44	44	44
Kansas City, Mo.	40	22	44	44	44
Little Rock, Ark.	54	38	48	48	48
Los Angeles, Calif.	62	52	62	62	62
Louisville, Ky.	26	18	26	26	26
Marquette, Mich.	18	8	18	18	18
Memphis, Tenn.	48	34	48	48	48
Miami, Fla.	62	48	62	62	62
Mobile, Ala.	66	48	66	66	66
New Orleans, La.	62	48	62	62	62
New York, N. Y.	34	28	34	34	34
North Platte, Neb.	20	10	20	20	20
Omaha, Neb.	44	30	42	42	42
Philadelphia, Pa.	24	10	24	24	24
Pine Bluff, Ark.	52	38	52	52	52
Pittsburgh, Pa.	20	10	20	20	20
Portland, Ore.	52	48	52	52	52
San Francisco, Calif.	58	48	58	58	58
San Antonio, Tex.	70	50	70	70	70
San Diego, Calif.	66	54	62	62	62
Savannah, Ga.	58	44	58	58	58
Seattle, Wash.	50	44	50	50	50
Springfield, Ill.	42	20	42	42	42
Tampa, Fla.	62	48	62	62	62
Toledo, Ohio	28	14	22	22	22
Vicksburg, Miss.	62	42	62	62	62

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS REPORTED.

William and Mary Heuman, boy.
Milton and Viola Courtney, girl.
Leonard and Augusta M. Steuerman, boy.
Emmet J. and Mary J. Daugherty, girl.
Richard R. and Edna L. Bassett, boy.
Jerry M. and Annie Houston, girl.
Robert and Blanche Meade, girl.
Raymond and Beulah Hanson, girl.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Frederic A. White, 22, and Rita B. Thompson, 21, of Purcellville, Pa. The Rev. G. F. Dudley.
Lawrence W. Kulp, 22, of Lancaster, Pa., and Nellie Croatin, 21, of the Rev. J. E. Briggs.
Thomas F. Ryan, 21, and Mary E. Spaulding, 21, both of Richmond. The Rev. C. J. Trimbach.
Lawrence Lee, 34, and Lulu V. Ford, 33, The Rev. A. Sayles.
Harry Cole, 28, of Amesbury, Mass., and Mary A. Davis, 34, of Dayton, Ohio. The Rev. A. Hoffman.
Louis Freedman, 32, of Baltimore, and Ida H. Hoffman, 24, of Brooklyn. The Rev. I. Greenblatt.
Robert D. Penland, 40, and Anna E. Bradley, 38, The Rev. E. J. Wilkey.
Thomas D. Robertson, 31, and Flora M. Lapham, 21, The Rev. H. S. Smith.
John H. Hall, 29, and Colleen Davis, 23, The Rev. A. Sayles.
Earnest Harris, 27, and Sarah M. Howard, 25, The Rev. A. Sayles.
Thomas R. Jones, 23, and Louise Randall, 31, The Rev. J. D. Catlett.
Albert H. Phares, 28, of St. Louis, and Donald A. Richardson, 27, of Baltimore. The Rev. W. D. Jarvis.
James Haggans, 22, and Easley Curry, 20, The Rev. W. D. Jarvis.
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DEATHS REPORTED.

Hattie M. Higgs, 13 yrs., 2806 Channing st. ne.
George H. Tichenor, 64 yrs., Gallinger hos.
Lillian K. Nader, 52 yrs., 935 M. st. nw.
Richard Weirath, 78 yrs., U. S. N. hos.
Harry W. Walker, 119 R. 1 ave. ne.
Mamie Luford, 59 yrs., Gardfield hosp.
Gladys Johnston, 28 yrs., 1429 14th st. nw.
Margaret E. Stotler, 25 yrs., 1132 Fla. ave. nw.
William Phillips, 53 yrs., Tub. hosp.
Ida Robinson, 58 yrs., St. Elizabeth's hosp.
Frank H. Heiman, 38 yrs., 1429 14th st. nw.
Herman Strittmatter, 65 yrs., 1340 Union st. sw.
Mary M. Robinson, 65 yrs., 919 E. st. nw.
William E. Richards, 45 yrs., Prov. hosp.
William W. Orison, 75 yrs., 1630 P. st. nw.
Angelo Desbato, 38 yrs., Gardfield hosp.
John H. Burton, 5 yrs., Sibbey hosp.
Rosaena J. Boyer, 5 mos., Children's hosp.
West Sheddick, 69 yrs., 1137 Willard st. nw.
Hazel Jordan, 61 yrs., 2018 E. st. nw.
Ruebel Morton, 63 yrs., Home for Aged, Blue Hills.
Charles H. Jackson, 75 yrs., 832 N. H. ave. nw.
Frances Little, 17 yrs., Providence hosp.
Ida Smith, 50 yrs., Gallinger hosp.
Betty A. Williams, 1 yr., Children's hosp.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

New York, March 8.
SAILS TUESDAY.
Eastern Dawn, for Antwerp.
SAIL WEDNESDAY.
George Washington, for Bremen.
Courier d'Alsace, for Alexandria.
Stockholm, for Gothenburg.

REPORTED BY RADIO.

Celtic, from Liverpool, due at pier 60, North river, early Tuesday.
Carmania, from Liverpool, due at pier 59, North river, Tuesday.
Majestic, from Southampton, due at pier 59, North river, Tuesday.
Carnegie, from Glasgow, due at pier 54, North river, Tuesday.
Andania, from Hamburg, due at pier 54, North river, Wednesday.
Bergensfjord, from Oslo, due at pier 54, North river, Wednesday.
Bremen, from Bremen, due at Sixth street, Hoboken, Thursday.
Lituania, from Danzig, due at pier 5, Brooklyn, Thursday.
Republika, from Mediterranean cruise, due at pier 4, Hoboken, Friday.
Conte Rosso, from Genoa, due at pier 35, North river, Friday.

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Feature Photoplay—Orchestra—Pipe Organ
Last Complete Show at 8:30—Last Vaudeville Show, 9:30

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About \$3,000 Involved in Alleged Theft; 15 Counts Are Returned.

ALLEGED SLAYER HELD

Harry Vande Koolwyk, 25 years old, formerly employed as a teller at the Riggs National Bank, was indicted yesterday by the grand jury on charges of grand larceny, embezzlement and larceny after trust. The amount involved is slightly less than \$3,000. There are fifteen counts in the indictment. Three are devoted to each of five alleged thefts.

Robert L. Cheek, colored, was indicted on a charge of first degree murder in connection with the shooting of Edward Jackson, colored, on February 6, at 2413 Virginia avenue northwest, during a fight.

Mrs. Rebecca Kushner and her sons, Samuel and Max, were jointly indicted on charges of violating the prohibition law. The Kushner premises at 4002 Kansas avenue northwest, were raided December 1 and, according to police, a 200-gallon still and a large quantity of material for manufacturing liquor were seized.

The grand jury ignored charges of soliciting a bribe against Leon Ackerman, former prohibition agent, and his assistant, George A. Fugett, who were arrested in July, 1923.

Mary Anderson, alias Mary Cole, alias Mary Bryant, colored, was indicted on two charges of house-breaking and larceny in connection with the alleged theft of about \$2,500 worth of jewelry from the home of Mrs. Anne L. Pitkin, widow of

Southeast Oyster Roast Is Planned

Plans for an oyster roast to be held in the latter part of the month will be made at a meeting of the Southeast Business Men's association at 8 o'clock tonight in the hall of W. A. Simpson, 530 Seventh street southeast.

Matters pertaining to the community and business interest will be discussed. John T. Crouch, president, will preside.

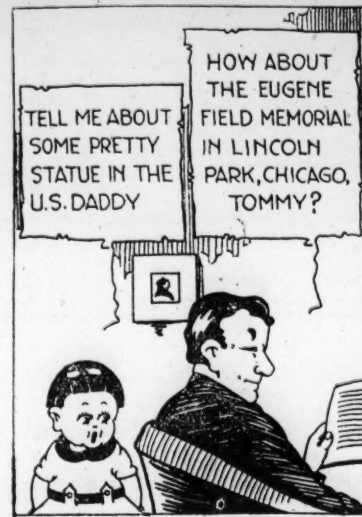
Law Enforcement Dinner to Be March 16

The first of a series of "law enforcement and law observance" dinners, under the auspices of the United Law Enforcement Clubs of Maryland, will be held in the Congressional Country club, 6:30 o'clock, March 16.

Speakers and those having charge of arrangements for the dinner include: Mrs. Daniel C. Chase, Montgomery county, chairman; George H. Lamar, of Rockville, who will preside; the Rev. Edward O. Clark, pastor of the Chevy Chase Baptist church; William Tyler Page, clerk of the House of Representatives; Mrs. Jesse W. Nicholson, Mrs. William H. Chase, Bishop William F. McDowell, Dr. A. G. Christie, Senator Bratton, of New Mexico, Mrs. Edwin A. Merritt, Miss Ruth Shoemaker and H. M. Martin.

Court Clerk Resigns.
Samuel B. Beach, assistant clerk of the District Supreme court, tendered his resignation yesterday to Frank E. Cunningham, clerk, effective March 15. Beach is the son of Morgan H. Beach, who resigned December 31 last as clerk of the court.

TELLING TOMMY

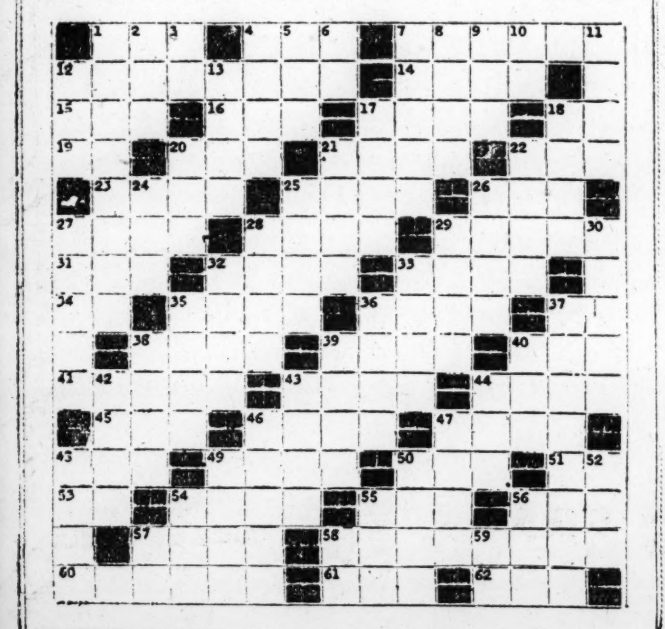


IN OCTOBER 1922, 27 YEARS AFTER HIS DEATH, A BEAUTIFUL STATUE WAS ERECTED TO THE MEMORY OF EUGENE FIELD, POET OF CHILDHOOD. THE EXPENSE WAS DEFRAYED LARGELY FROM CONTRIBUTIONS OF PENNIES FROM SCHOOL CHILDREN THROUGHOUT THE U.S.

THE MONUMENT SHOWS A BROODING ANGEL HOVERING OVER TWO SLEEPING CHILDREN SPRINKLING THE SAND OF DREAMS IN THEIR EYES. ON THE BASE ARE SCENES OF "THE SUGAR PLUM TREE" AND "THE DUTCH LULLABY" BETTER KNOWN AS "WYNKEN, BLYNKEN AND NOD".



Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



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|---------------------|---------------------------|
| HORIZONTAL | VERTICAL |
| 1 To cut hair short | 1 One who bleaches |
| 4 Watch pendant | 2 Not young |
| 7 Seraph | 3 Subsidist |
| 12 Parable | 4 A young horse |
| 14 Specter of rab- | 5 Fragment |
| 15 Suffix denoting | 6 In proximity to |
| 16 Rodent | 7 Very young |
| 17 Artifice | 8 Sound; whole |
| 18 Fourth musical | 9 Sooner than |
| 19 Each (ab.) | 10 Concerning |
| 20 Lubricant | 11 Donkey's voice |
| 21 Rasp | 12 Tailless |
| 22 Speak | 13 Grating; ridged |
| 23 Dressed | 14 Fermented |
| 25 Rear | 15 Juice of grapes |
| 26 Wager | 16 Destiny |
| 27 Cook | 17 A simpleton |
| 28 Stocking | 18 Closed hand |
| 29 Price (pl.) | 19 Places; puts |
| 31 To soak | 20 Allow |
| 32 Ruminant | 21 Deceptive |
| 33 A platform | 22 story of trick |
| 34 Measure of | 23 A lure |
| 35 Entice | 24 Game of dice |
| 36 Confined | 25 Grayish white |
| 37 Chinese weight | 26 Have |
| 38 To fly aloft | 27 Throw; hurl |
| 39 A coin | 28 Final purpose |
| 40 Fish's propeller | 29 For aim |
| 41 Shallow | 30 Slight depression |
| 42 Fruit decay | 31 Black com- |
| 44 A ladder round | 32 basible mineral |
| 45 Everyone | 33 Skin |
| | 34 One skilled in |
| | 35 languages |
| | 36 Individual; only |
| | 37 Musical character |
| | 38 Sport; merriment |
| | 39 One of two equal parts |
| | 40 Hairless |
| | 41 Moved swiftly |
| | 42 Web-foot fowl (pl.) |
| | 43 Famous leaning tower |
| | 44 Assists; helps |
| | 45 Percolate slowly |
| | 46 A prophet |
| | 47 A fondling |
| | 48 A mineral spring |
| | 49 Before (prefix) |
| | 50 Green vegetable |
| | 51 Either |
| | 52 Proceed |
| | 53 Toward |

RESULT OF YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

ARSON APT ROCKS
RETESPEARURIC
MAORISALSTONE
EMUSPECIALTEN
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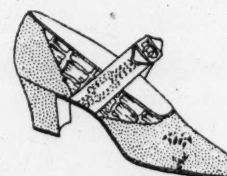
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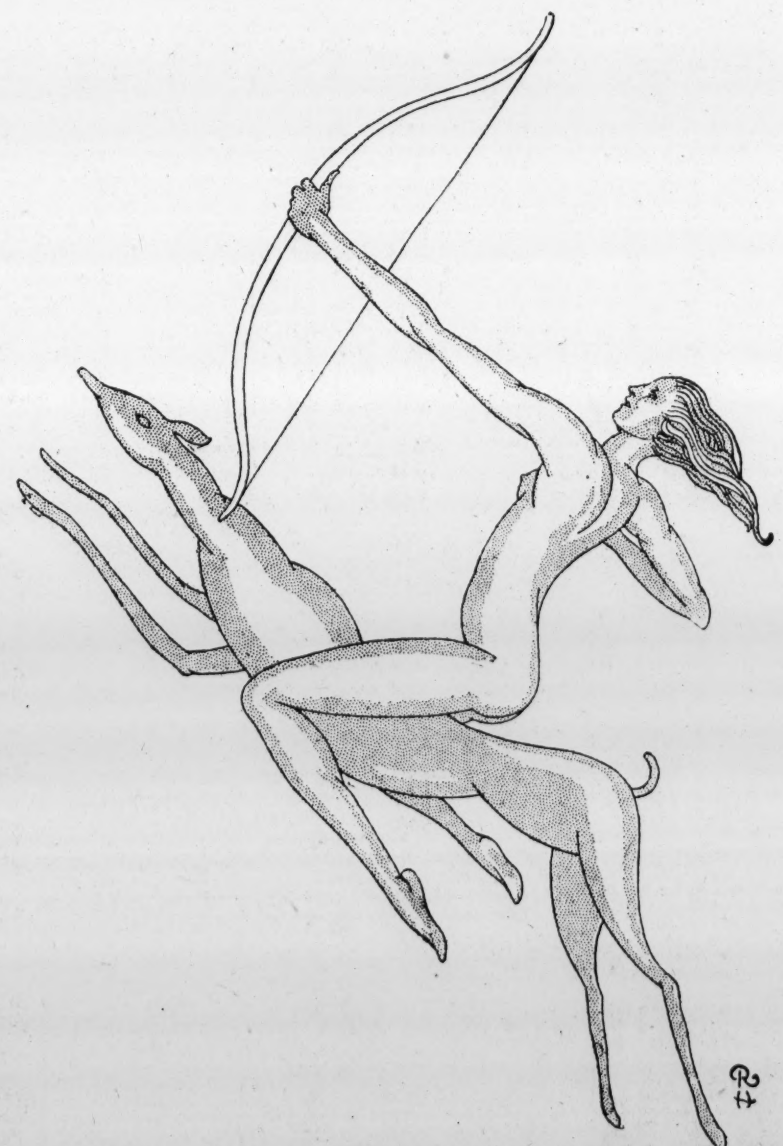
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Date.	Maturity.	Bid.	Offer.
4½%	Mar. 15, 1926.	.100	
	June 15, 1926.	.99 15-16	100

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pe line receipts of Pure Oil Co.	11
January were 376,754 barrels of	11
gasoline, 22,253 barrels of kero-	49
sene, Total deliveries were 1,253	11
barrels, a daily average of 11,	11
of which 224,858 were Penn-	11
sylvanian crude and 127,649 Okla-	11
hoма oil in tanks and lines	11
the pipe line depa- 2,253	11
end of the month total 1,293,	11
barrels. Pure Oil Co. has more	11

Memphis.....	18.35	1.70	6,747	266,158	continue his series of talks on
Augusta.....	18.25	.819	201	91,653	"Bank Organization and Manage-
St. Louis.....		2.407	2,943	15,990	ment."
Houston.....		0.379	6,271	674,885	
Little Rock.....	17.48	.516	227	59,831	
Atlanta.....	18.25				Col. Harper Recovers.
Fallas.....	18.30				
Montgomery.....	17.55				Col. Robert N. Harper, president
Fort Worth.....	18.30				of the District National Bank, re-

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June 15, 1926	99	31-32	100 16-32
Sept. 15, 1926	100	11-32	100 14-32
Dec. 15, 1926	100	1-32	100 1-8
Mar. 15, 1927	101	1-16	101 1-8
Dec. 15, 1927	101	5-32	101 6-32

Household Prod. (8.50b)	2	42 $\frac{3}{4}$	42	42
Juston Oil	2	63	62	62
We Sound Co. (2)...	6	33 $\frac{1}{4}$	32 $\frac{5}{8}$	32 $\frac{5}{8}$
ison & Manhat. (2.50)	11	37 $\frac{1}{2}$	36 $\frac{3}{4}$	36 $\frac{3}{4}$
ison Motor Car (8).	509	111 $\frac{1}{2}$	107 $\frac{3}{4}$	111 $\frac{1}{2}$

Pop. Motor Car (1)...	65	23%	22%	23%
St. Louis Central (7)...	5	116%	116	116
Cent. pt. (6)...	2	117%	117%	117%
Dep. Oil & Gas (1)...	97	26	23%	25%
Indian Motor. (.50)...	4	20%	20	20%
Indian Refining	2	11%	11%	11%

41½	Third Ave. Ry.	31	38½	36½	30	—	1	30
50	Thomp. (J.R.) Co. (3.60)	21	80	78½	79	—	—	38
32½	Tidewater Oil (1.50)	135	87½	35½	36	—	1½	36
36½	Tidewater Oil pf. (5)	21	99½	96	97½	—	2½	97
111½	Tim. Roll. Brg. (4b)	23	51½	50½	50½	—	—	—

22%	Tobacco Prod. (6)	44	105%	103%	104%	104%	104%
15%	Tobacco Prod. "A" (7)	2	108	107%	108	107%	107%
117	Transcont. Oil	27	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
24%	Underwood Type. (4)	8	57%	57%	57%	57%	57%
20%	Un. Bag & Paper	12	52	50%	50%	50%	50%
11	Un. Oil of Cal. (2)	27	41	40%	40%	40%	40%

stant producing sections.	Houston Oil pfd	84
Public offering today of \$14,000.-	Lorraine Petroleum	40c 60
Port of New York Authority	Mld Cont Petroleum	30
	MISCELLANEOUS SECURITIES.	

per cent serial gold bonds, pro-	Canton Co.	215	280
of which will be used for	Atlantic Coast Line Conn.	220	223
the construction between New	Sons of Hadison Coal	41	42
York and New Jersey, was quickly	Consol Coal rfdg 4 1/8s	92 1/2	93
subscribed.	Consol Coal pfd	93	94
	Mer Min Transp Co	48 1/2	49
	Shl Gel	16 1/2	

Memphis...	18.50	1,150	6,747	206,156	continue his series of talks on "Bank Organization and Man- agement."
Augusta...	18.25	519	291	91,653	
St. Louis...		2,467	2,968	15,990	
Houston...	18.75	9,379	6,271	674,885	
Little Rock...	17.88	316	237	59,831	
Atlanta...	18.25				

Col. Harper Recovers.

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Montgomery	17.55
Fort Worth.	18.30
Total today.	19.11	15.899 1,123,024
Sales—Memphis, 3,900;			
Augusta, 144;			
Houston, 3,011;			
Little Rock, 2,100;			
Atlanta, 2,100;			
Dallas, 1,939;			
Montgomery, 14.			
Total sales today, 19,128.			

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RADIO PROGRAMS

TUESDAY, MARCH 9.

LOCAL STATIONS.

Programs Eastern Standard Time.

N.A.A.—Arlington (435)

10:30 a. m.—3:45 p. m. and 10:05

a. m.—Weather reports.

7:35 p. m.—Civil Service.

WCAP—C. & P. Tel. Co. (469)

6:45 to 7:45 a. m.—Tower

Health Exercises.

Silent night.

WRC—Radio Corporation (409)

11:55 a. m.—Arlington time sig-

nals.

12 (noon)—Fifty Farm Flash-

es—under the auspices of the De-

partment of Agriculture.

12:25 p. m.—Midday Lenten

services under the auspices of the

Laymen's Service association.

broadcast from Keith's theater.

1 p. m.—Irving Boernstein's

Hotel Washington orchestra.

7 p. m.—"Show Shopping" by

Leonard Hall.

7:10 p. m.—Radio School of In-

ternational Relations by Dr. Will-

iam F. Notz, dean of the school of

foreign service, Georgetown univer-

sity.

7:30 p. m.—Marine Band orches-

tra. Capt. William H. Santelmann,

band leader; Taylor Branson, second

leader.

8:30 p. m.—Furnham University

Glee club under the direction of J.

Oscar Miller.

9:15 p. m.—"The Political Situa-

tion in Washington Tonight," by

Frederic William Wile.

9:35 p. m.—Piano recital by

Helen Corbin Heim.

10 p. m.—"The Grand Tour—

England."

10:30 p. m.—W. Spencer Tap-

man's Hotel Mayflower orchestra.

WMAL—Leese Radio Co. (218)

7 p. m.—Pending District Leg-

islation. Wm. P. Kennedy, legisla-

tive representative of the Star.

7:15 p. m.—Piano numbers.

Pierre S. Deffes.

7:30 p. m.—Easter and Spring

Tours of the Youth of America to

the National Capital. Capt. Charles

P. McCollough, the new assistant

general passenger agent of the

Pennsylvania Railroad.

7:45 p. m.—"The Bluebird and

the Public School System," address

by Major Wm. E. R. Correll, assist-

ant engineer commissioner.

7:55 p. m.—Announcement of

winners in the Art Gillham Musical

competition.

DISTANT STATIONS.

KDKA—Pittsburgh (309)

12 noon—Weather forecast.

6:30 p. m.—Concert.

8 p. m.—Studio.

KMOX—St. Louis (280)

6 to 11 p. m.—Hourly program.

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KMTB—Hollywood, Calif. (238)

8 p. m. to 11 p. m.—Music.

KFI—Los Angeles (407)

8:30 p. m. to 1 a. m.—Continu-

ous program.

KOA—Denver (325)

8 p. m.—Stocks.

8:30 p. m.—Concert.

KTHS—Hot Springs, Ark. (375)

10 to 12 p. m.—Orchestra.

WAUC—Columbus (294)

7 p. m.—Twilight hour.

9 p. m.—Music.

12 p. m.—Organ.

WBAP—Fort Worth, Tex. (476)

8 to 12 p. m.—Continuous.

WBBY—Chicago (268)

9 to 10 p. m.—Orchestra.

10 p. m. to 1 a. m.—Mus-

ic.

WCAO—Baltimore (275)

Silent.

WCAU—Philadelphia (278)

8 to 10:30 p. m.—Continuous

program.

WCX—Detroit (517)

7 p. m.—Ensemble.

11 p. m. to 3 a. m.—Studio.

WEAF—New York (482)

8 p. m.—Quartet.

9 p. m.—Eveready hour.

10 p. m.—Muscle.

11 to 12 p. m.—Orchestra.

WFBG—Altoona, Pa. (278)

8 to 10:30 p. m.—Continuous.

WFBL—Syracuse, N. Y. (252)

7 to 9 p. m.—Continuous.

WFI—Philadelphia (395)

1 to 10:30 p. m.—Hourly.

WGBS—New York (316)

7 to 10:30 p. m.—Hourly pro-

gram.

WIP—Philadelphia (508)

1 to 10:05 p. m.—Hourly pro-

gram.

WGR—Buffalo (310)

7 to 12 p. m.—Continuous.

WGY—Schenectady (380)

6:30 p. m.—Dinner.

7 p. m.—Agriculture.

7:45 to 11 p. m.—Continuous.

WHAM—Rochester, N. Y. (278)

7 to 7:30 p. m.—Orchestra.

WHAR—Atlantic City (275)

2 p. m.—Trio.

7:30 p. m.—Lecture.

8 p. m.—Trio.

WHT—Chicago (278)

7 to 12 p. m.—Continuous.

WHO—Des Moines (326)

8:30 p. m.—Piano.

9 p. m.—Band.

12 p. m.—Orchestra.

WJJD—Moosheart, Ill. (370)

9 p. m.—Children.

11 p. m.—Features.

1:30 a. m.—Knights.

WJR—Detroit (517)

3 p. m.—Soloists.

9 p. m.—Music.

WJZ—New York (455)

8 p. m.—Chorus.

9 p. m.—Dinner program.

9:30 to 11 p. m.—Continu-

ous.

WJAZ—Chicago (275)

10 p. m. to 2 a. m.—Music.

WKRC—Cincinnati (422)

10 to 12 p. m.—Program.

WLIT—Philadelphia (395)

1 to 7:50 p. m.—Hourly program.

WLW—Cincinnati (422)

10 to 12 p. m.—Continuous.

WLWL—New York (288)

9 p. m.—Pauitist program.

WMAK—Buffalo (206)

7:15 p. m.—News.

WMCA—New York (341)

6 to 11:30 p. m.—Program.

WOR—Newark, N. J. (405)

5 to 7 p. m.—Hourly program.

WPG—Atlantic City (300)

6:30 p. m.—News flashes.

6:45 p. m.—Organ recital.

7 p. m.—Elks home.

8 p. m.—Fashion flashes.

8:15 p. m.—Plaza hotel artists.

9 p. m.—Dance orchestra.

10:30 p. m.—Piano recital.

11 p. m.—Dance orchestra.

WQJ—Chicago (278)

8 to 9 p. m.—Concert.

11 p. m. to 3 a. m.—Music.

DREO—Lansing (286)

6 p. m.—Concert.

8:15 p. m.—Music.

WRVA—Richmond, Va. (256)

8 p. m.—Reports.

8:10 p. m.—Orchestra.

9 p. m.—Music.

11 p. m.—"Carry Me Back to Old

Virginia."

WSAL—Cincinnati (326)

10 p. m.—Orchestra.

WSUT—Iowa City (484)

7:30 p. m.—Game.

WTAM—Cleveland (380)

6 to 7 p. m.—Music.

WWJ—Detroit (353)

6 p. m.—Concert.

8 p. m.—Orchestra.

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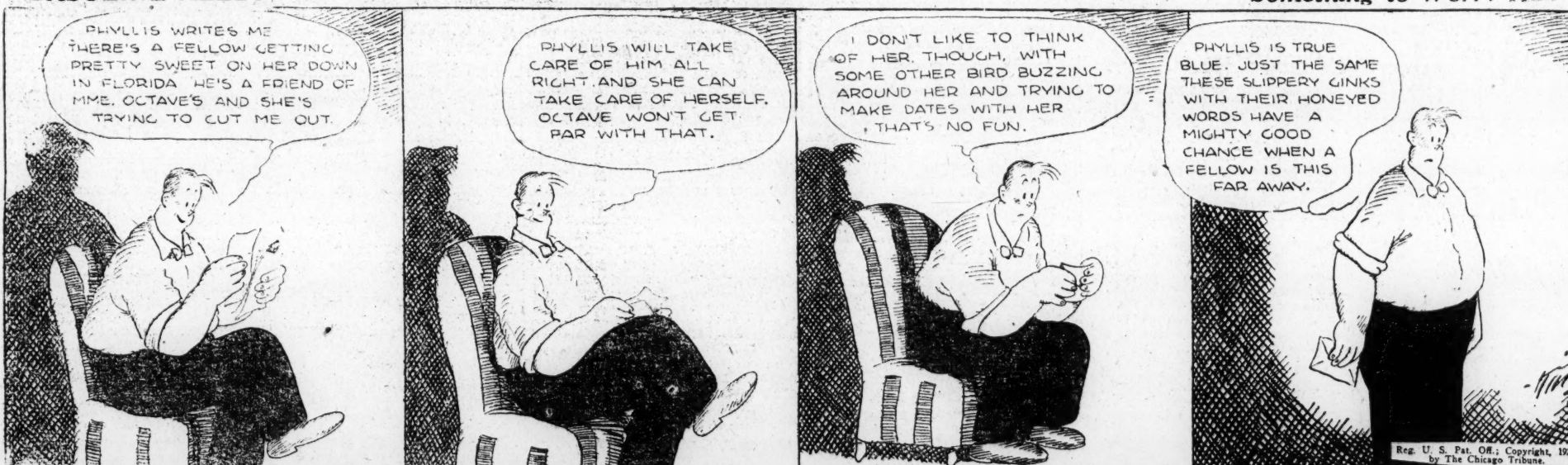
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GASOLINE ALLEY

Something to Worry About



YOU KNOW ME, AL—Theoretically He Wins

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100 Am. Cyanamid B	71	69	69	100 Illinois Pipe Line	24	24	24
100 Am. Gas & El. new	41	41	41	200 Indiana Pipe Line	24	24	24
100 Am. Gas & El. old	76	74	74	200 International Paper	24	24	24
100 Am. Home Prod. new	76	74	74	200 Indiana Pipe Line	24	24	24
100 Am. Home Prod. old	76	74	74	200 International Paper	24	24	24
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100 Am. Power Lk. new	113	113	113	200 International Paper	24	24	24
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Wholesale	24	24	24	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	TRUST COMPANIES	256	256
Office	200	200	200	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Amer. Security & Trust	395	395
Corp. v. t. c.	24	24	24	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Continental Trust	400	400
Pow. & L. t. new	13	13	13	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Amer. Bank & Trust	395	395
Pow. & L. t. old	24	24	24	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Nat. Sav. & Trust	150	150
P. & L. t. part p. (new)	10	10	10	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Union Trust	230	230
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Wash. Loan	470	470
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	SAVINGS BANKS	470	470
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Commerce & Savings	355	355
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	East Washington	30	30
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Sec. Sav. & Com'l	30	30
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Fourth Street	30	30
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	United States	30	30
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Washington Mechanics	400	400
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	INSURANCE	400	400
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	American	250	250
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Corporation	250	250
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Firesmen	250	250
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	National Union	25	25
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	TITLE INSURANCE	25	25
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Columbia	175	175
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Real Estate	175	175
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	MISCELLANEOUS	175	175
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	D. C. Paper Mfg. Co. pt.	63	63
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Federal Stge. Co. pt.	102	102
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Laurel Stge. Co. pt.	102	102
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Merch. Tr. & Sige.	81	81
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Merch. Tr. & Sige. pt.	122	122
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Mergenthaler & Co.	205	205
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Nat. Mgt. & Inv. Co. pt.	208	208
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Security Storage	383	383
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	Washington Trust	383	383
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	* Ex dividend.	53	53
Utilities	30	30	30	1,000 Phil. E. Pow. & L. 6s, 1950.	103	103	103	RANGE OF STOCK PRICES:		
Calif. Edison	123	123	123	1,000 Phil. E.						

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56 NEW LAWYERS ADMITTED TO BAR BY SUPREME COURT

Seven Women Among Number Given Permission to Practice in District.

BARRISTERS REPRESENT MANY STATES OF UNION

Secretary to Senator Moses, of New Hampshire, Is One of Group.

Fifty-six new lawyers were given permission to hang out their shingles yesterday by the District Supreme court sitting in general term.

Seven of the number admitted to practice are women. They are Mrs. Martha R. Gold, secretary to Senator Moses, of New Hampshire; Mrs. Nita S. Hinman, of Evansville, Ind.; Miss Mary J. Connor, of Portland, Me.; Miss Jessie E. Gano, of Tyron, Pa.; Miss Rose Quinn, of Duluth, Minn.; Miss Susan T. Campbell, of Riverdale, Md.; and Miss Ruby R. Fleming, of Hickman, Ky.

The men admitted are: Columbia; Franklin L. Adams, Massachusetts; Francis W. Brown, District of Columbia; James H. Bowen, Virginia; George L. Boswell, District of Columbia; James O. Bouton, Tennessee; Robert M. Bruce, California; George W. Billings, New York; Samuel Bernstein, Maryland; Nathan Bluffstone, Ohio; Wade M. Becker, Pennsylvania; Millard Blum, California; Andrew M. Buntin, District of Columbia; Philip E. Biggins, District of Columbia; John R. Barrow, Ohio; Charles C. Beyer, District of Columbia; William E. Gurrie, New York; William E. Crawford, Michigan; Elmer V. Coons, Kentucky; Verne G. Corey, New York; Mary G. Conkor, Maine; Mitchell B. Carroll, Virginia; S. H. De Souza, District of Columbia; Gerard C. Crockerberg, Pennsylvania; David W. Cannon, Utah; Susan T. Campbell, Maryland; Eacus W. Davis, District of Columbia; Edward B. Dean, Jr., District of Columbia; Lawrence B. Dunn, Wisconsin; James T. Duffy, District of Columbia; John W. Dyer, Jr., District of Columbia; E. L. Elmhorn, Pennsylvania; Allen C. Fisher, District of Columbia; Ruby R. Fleming, District of Columbia; Charles S. Forbes, New York; Isidore B. Feinberg, Maryland; James L. Finegan, District of Columbia; Joseph Fitzgerald, Jr., District of Columbia; Clarence F. Fulton, Oklahoma; Rees A. Gillespie, Missouri; Edward P. Guanine, Wisconsin; Frank B. Gorman, Maryland; Jessie E. Gano, Pennsylvania; John E. Goggins, Massachusetts; John J. Gorman, District of Columbia; Rose S. Quinn, Minnesota; Alfred Goldstein, District of Columbia; Joseph A. Getz, Wisconsin; Martha R. Gold, Indiana; William R. Glisson, District of Columbia; Joseph R. Harlacher, Pennsylvania; Alva O. Hearn, Texas; H. D. Hayes, Utah; Willard L. Hart, District of Columbia; Nita S. Hinman, Indiana; Bernard J. Hasson, District of Columbia.

Boy Loses His Suit Against Judge Bland

Francis Madigan, a minor, who sued Judge Oscar E. Bland of the United States Court of Customs Appeals for \$5,050 damages for alleged personal injuries and the alleged wrecking of his bicycle, failed to collect anything yesterday when a jury in circuit court brought in a verdict for the defendant.

According to the plea filed for Judge Bland by his counsel, Attorneys Bull, Marshall & Rice, the Madigan boy was on a bicycle and attempted to pass the Bland automobile on the wrong side on Connecticut avenue on July 12, 1924, and was forced onto a pile of sand near the Mayflower hotel and up against the wheel of the automobile.

Woman Seeks \$1,500 In Husband's Death

Mrs. Blanche Thompson, of Langdon, filed suit yesterday in circuit court against the Firemen's Relief association to recover \$1,500, which she says is due on account of the legal "death" of her husband, Clarence S. Thompson.

The latter was a member of the association, it is stated, and disappeared on December 13, 1917, and has not been heard of since. Since it has been more than seven years since she heard from him, Mrs. Thompson says, the law presumes he is dead. Attorney S. J. Halladay appeared for the plaintiff.

U. S. Marshals Here To Meet President

United States Marshals from all over the country will meet tomorrow morning in the Willard hotel, from where they will march to the White House to meet the President. The organization of marshals, which was formed about a year ago, is known as the United States Marshals' association. Edgar C. Snyder, United States marshal for the District, is president, and W. Frank Mathews, of the Eastern district of Pennsylvania, is secretary.

Marriage Annulled

Mrs. Mary M. Wilson, wife of Thomas C. Wilson, former policeman, was awarded an interlocutory decree yesterday by Chief Justice McCoy in equity court, annulling her marriage of December 23, 1923, on the ground that Wilson had not at that time been divorced from Mary L. Wilson, his first wife. Wilson was sentenced to serve four years in prison on a bigamy charge on February 12, last, by Justice Bailey, in criminal court.

Former Wife Heard In Annulment Suit

The deposition of Mrs. Esther Wexler, of Chicago, Ill., former wife of Arthur F. Brooks, alias Cornelius Beaverbrook, alias John V. Weidenheimer, and other names, was added to the Beaverbrook divorce records yesterday in equity court, together with a picture of the "husband" of Mrs. Wexler and Mrs. Virginia Cameron Beaverbrook. Brooks is being sued for an annulment by Mrs. Beaverbrook. An original bill, based mainly on fraud, was amended to include the alleged unlawful marriage to Esther Wexler. The latter has since secured a divorce. She was married November 11, 1924, and was still married to Weidenheimer, it is charged, when he married Mrs. Virginia Cameron Beaverbrook at Rockville, Md., on June 17, 1925. The Wexler divorce decree was signed December 23, 1925.

GEN. NOLAN LAUDS WORK OF WAR OFFICE CLERKS

Praises Loyalty on Retiring as Army Deputy Chief of Staff.

PLANS EUROPEAN TOUR

The loyalty and efficiency of War Department clerks was praised by Maj. Gen. Dennis E. Nolan, retiring deputy chief of staff of the army, in his farewell newspaper conference yesterday. His fifth tour of duty as deputy chief since 1903 expired yesterday.

A two and a half months' tour of Europe, including visits to world war battlefields, is planned by Maj. Gen. Nolan. After his European trip Maj. Gen. Nolan will assume command of the First division, with headquarters at Fort Hamilton, N. Y.

He is succeeded as deputy chief of staff by Maj. Gen. Fox Conner, assistant chief of staff, supply division, who is succeeded by Brig. Gen. Briant H. Wells, of Fort Benning, Ga.

Col. John J. Toffey, infantry, has been detailed as a member of the promotion examining board to meet in this city in place of Col. James B. Mitchell, coast artillery corps, on leave of absence. Capt. Robert Le G. Walsh, air service, has been designated representative of that service on the War Department's technical committee.

Lawrence B. Dunn, Wisconsin; James T. Duffy, District of Columbia; John W. Dyer, Jr., District of Columbia; E. L. Elmhorn, Pennsylvania; Allen C. Fisher, District of Columbia; Ruby R. Fleming, District of Columbia; Charles S. Forbes, New York; Isidore B. Feinberg, Maryland; James L. Finegan, District of Columbia; Joseph Fitzgerald, Jr., District of Columbia; Clarence F. Fulton, Oklahoma; Rees A. Gillespie, Missouri; Edward P. Guanine, Wisconsin; Frank B. Gorman, Maryland; Jessie E. Gano, Pennsylvania; John E. Goggins, Massachusetts; John J. Gorman, District of Columbia; Rose S. Quinn, Minnesota; Alfred Goldstein, District of Columbia; Joseph A. Getz, Wisconsin; Martha R. Gold, Indiana; William R. Glisson, District of Columbia; Joseph R. Harlacher, Pennsylvania; Alva O. Hearn, Texas; H. D. Hayes, Utah; Willard L. Hart, District of Columbia; Nita S. Hinman, Indiana; Bernard J. Hasson, District of Columbia.

GRANT CIRCLE URGED FOR BARTHOLDI FOUNTAIN

Art Board Still Favors Site if Congress Wants to Move Memorial.

Grant circle is favored again by the commission of fine arts as a possible site for the Bartholdi fountain if Congress passes a pending bill to remove it from the Botanic Garden.

A measure providing for its relocation was introduced in the Senate last week by Senator Pepper, of Pennsylvania, in order to make way for the completion of the Meade memorial, but the bill does not specify where the fountain should be placed.

When the removal of the fountain to a site at Chevy Chase circle was proposed in the spring of 1925 it was disapproved by the commission. Grant circle was suggested then if Congress was agreeable to the change.

TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

Meeting—Barry Farm Citizens association; St. John's M. E. church, Stanton road southeast; 8:15 o'clock.

Meeting—Society for Philosophical Inquiry; National Museum; 4:30 o'clock.

Meeting—Burleigh Citizens association; Taber church, Thirtieth street and Wisconsin avenue northwest; 8 o'clock.

Concert—United States Marine Band orchestra; Band auditorium, marine barracks; 7:30 o'clock.

Meeting—Lincoln Park Citizens association; Bryan school, B street between Thirtieth and Fourteenth streets southeast; 8 o'clock.

Dinner—Civitan club; Lafayette hotel; 6:30 o'clock.

Meeting—Washington camp; No. 305, Sons of Confederate Veterans; Confederate Memorial Home, 1322 Vermont avenue northwest; 8 o'clock.

Forum luncheon—Voteless District of Columbia League of Women Voters; American Association of University Women; 1 o'clock.

Concert—United States Soldiers Home Band orchestra; Stanley hall; 5:45 o'clock.

Lecture—Helen Landon Cross, at the Advertising club of Washington; City club; 12:30 o'clock.

Meeting—Col. James S. Pettit camp, No. 3, United Spanish war Veterans; 921 Pennsylvania avenue southeast; 8 o'clock.

Wallach Parent-Teachers to Meet

The Wallach-Towers Parent-Teacher association will hold a meeting in the Wallach school, Seventh and Pennsylvania avenue southeast, at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Mrs. W. E. Patterson, president, will preside.

PIANO MAY BECOME PAINT OR SILK, POST HOUR AUDIENCE TOLD

E. T. Pickard, of Commerce Department, Lectures on Rayon.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS DESCRIBED TO CHILDREN

Nancy Carey Explains Relation of Cooking to Health; Urges Economy.

One would not believe that a chemist can take an old kitchen table, square piano or discarded house dress and turn it into a pair of beautiful, lustrous, silk stockings. Yet E. T. Pickard, chief of the textile division, bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, talking from WCAP during The Washington Post's radio hour last night, said it could be done, although in the interest of economy raw cotton lint and wood pulp are principally used as the cellulose base from which rayon is made.

"Even more, the reincarnated genie of Aladdin's lamp, known in these modern days as the chemist," said Mr. Pickard, "can take the same kitchen table and make out of it not alone your pair of stockings, but the very best kind of paint for your automobile, motion picture and kodak films, imitation ivory and amber, various forms of celluloid, gun cotton, transparent wrappings for candy boxes, unbreakable glass and many other things equally astounding. This wonderful new fiber, the chemist's contribution to the textile family, and the only fiber entirely controlled by man, is rayon, formerly known as artificial silk."

Glee Club Sings

Elisabeth E. Poe and Nancy Carey, of The Washington Post, were equally interesting entertainers, the former telling the children about the Library of Congress and urging them to go there to see the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, and other historic documents, interesting books and valuable paintings; the latter explained "The Business of Housekeeping" and the relation of good cooking to health. Successful cookery, according to Nancy Carey, is patience plus grandmother's economy and the findings of science regarding food. She stressed the importance of saving something each day in household management and of preventing food waste in the kitchen.

The Girls' Glee club, of George Washington university, coached by Estelle Wentworth and directed by Mischa Guterson, orchestra leader of the Rialto theater, and Willie Cramer, arranger of Irving Berlin's works, with his orchestra, furnished the musical part of the program. An "alma mater" song, composed by Martha Stevens and Fannie Bodek, members of the girls' glee club was sung. John Clagett Proctor gave an interesting account of the old hotels of the Capital.

Woman, Defending Purse, Is Attacked

Mrs. Sarah Cohen, proprietor of a store at 1633 Twelfth street northwest, was seriously injured yesterday when she was attacked, police say, by Mabel Washington, colored, 507 T street northwest, after she attempted to snatch Mrs. Cohen's pocketbook from a counter in the store.

When Mrs. Cohen remonstrated, the colored woman threw her to the floor and started to beat her with a board, it is alleged. Deputy Marshal George Twoby, who was passing the store and heard Mrs. Cohen's cries, went to her rescue. Mrs. Cohen was taken to Emergency hospital. The colored woman was arrested on a charge of assault.

Overcome by Gas, Man In Serious Condition

Overcome by gas while sleeping in his home yesterday afternoon, Benjamin Ashmead, 24 years old, 821 Decatur street northwest, was taken to Walter Reed hospital in a serious condition. He was discovered by his mother-in-law, Mrs. Fay Jutes, when she returned from market. Mrs. Jutes threw open all of the windows in the room and summoned Dr. Fred Denn, 801 Decatur street.

Police say that Ashmead evidently had lain down on a cot to take a nap when he was overcome by the gas, which was leaking from a gas jet. Ashmead will recover, physicians at Walter Reed hospital said.

Car Company Opposes Valuation Cost Bill

The Capital Traction Co., in letters to Congress, yesterday expressed opposition to the pending bill to permit the public utilities commission to assess cost of valuation investigations in behalf of the public against local utility corporations.

Arguing that allowance of the proposed item as an operating expense constituted making patrons of the utility companies pay the bill, the street car concern branded its proposed legislation discriminatory.

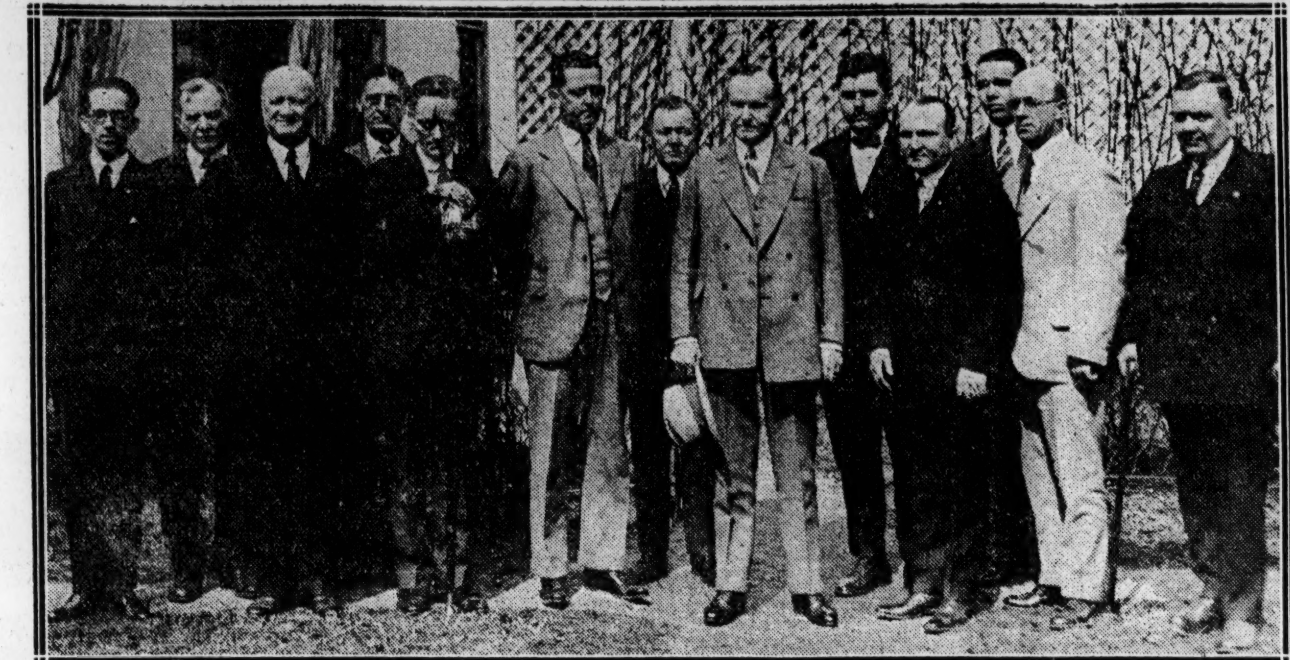
Navy Yard Needs Men

Work on gun mountings for the projected new cruisers, Pensacola and Salt Lake City, has resulted in a call for a limited number of pattern makers at the navy yard. Examinations to fill vacancies in these positions will be held April 1. It was announced yesterday. Applications are to be filed with the labor board, navy yard.

Mrs. Arthur Moreau Preston

Married to Mr. Preston, was Miss D'Lois Duffy, daughter of Mrs. May I. Duffy.

PICTORIAL NEWS OF THE CAPITAL



Georgia members of Congress and officials of the disabled American veterans visited the White House yesterday and invited President Coolidge to attend their sixth annual convention in Atlanta in June. Left to right: J. K. Finch, Representative Crisp, Representative Edwards, Representative Rutherford, Representative Upshaw, Guy Dobbs, Representative Larsons, President Coolidge, J. H. Lucas, John W. Mahan, R. W. O'Neill, W. E. Saunders and C. S. Holmerson.



Removing of trolley poles in the center of Connecticut avenue began yesterday. Workmen started at Chevy Chase circle and are working toward the city.



Nature classes of the public schools receive forestry primers in connection with American forest week. Carrying them are Misses Alice Boscul, Dorothy Bral and Sarah Rappaport.



Marine corps fliers who are attempting a 25-hour flight to Haiti, a distance of 2,500 miles. The men hopped off from the naval air station at Anacostia yesterday morning. Left to right: Sergt. Benjamin F. Belcher, Maj. Edward H. Brainard, Lieut. Walter G. Farrell and Sergt. Ralph A. Dahlstrom. They are using two amphibian planes.



Mrs. Arthur Moreau Preston, who before her recent marriage to Mr. Preston, was Miss D'Lois Duffy, daughter of Mrs. May I. Duffy.



Maj. Gen. Fox Conner (center), yesterday assumed his new duties as deputy chief of staff of the United States army. Gen. Conner succeeded Maj. Gen. Dennis E. Nolan (right). Brig. Gen. Briant H. Wells, who succeeds Gen. Conner as assistant chief of staff, is on the left.

GUARD TO PROTECT TOMB OF UNKNOWN SOLDIER IS ASSURED

Coolidge Promises Care Regardless of Any Legislation Before Congress.

LEGION IS PROVOKED BY DISRESPECT SHOWN

Visitors Said to Picnic at Grave—Proposed Giant Shaft Is Opposed.

A guard of honor for the tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington cemetery seems assured. Not only did President Coolidge unqualifiedly express approval yesterday of the bill of Representative Allen J. Furlow of Minnesota providing for it but he went even further. He informed Mr. Furlow and John Thomas Taylor of the American Legion that if the legion feels such a guard is needed it will be provided regardless of legislation.

Why such a guard has not been provided for heretofore has not been revealed. A guard is maintained at the tomb of the late President Harding. The only possible objection has been that, inasmuch as the tomb is well within the confines of Arlington it cannot be reached at night and it has seemed perfectly safe in the daytime. However at the last convention of the American Legion in Omaha officials were angered because of reports that picnic parties have been in the habit of eating their lunches on the very tomb. At that time it was decided that a bill which would ensure a permanent guard ought to be pressed.

Taps by Bugler Every Day

It was this bill which Representative Furlow introduced. It provided for a guard "equipped as for field service during the world war" to be on duty from sunrise to sunset and that as a part of this detail a bugler should sound taps each evening just prior to the dismissal of the guard. The President will sign this bill when it reaches him, as it seemed certain yesterday to do, but it is expected that the legion officials will write the President suggesting that the guard be ordered immediately and that this letter will be forwarded, with a favorable recommendation, to the Secretary of War.

The suggestion that such a guard would be too expensive has been made in military circles in the past. As a reply to this an official of the legion recently suggested that the guard easily could be made up from the regulars who are utilized as orderlies and messengers right here in the War Department and the legality of whose employment in that capacity has been questioned.

Lack of Reverence Shown

There has been much complaint, not alone in legion circles but elsewhere over the attitude of the crowds of tourists who visit the tomb. There has been a singular lack of reverence and this has added to the movement to have the whole spot chained off so that an approach to the very side of the tomb could be prevented.

There is decided opposition to the proposal that the tomb be converted into a monument with a giant shaft of marble raising skyward above it. Many of those who have been most interested in the simplicity of the tomb, in strong contrast to the general model of this character, have pointed out that the plan to transfer it into a striking monument would have the effect simply of bringing it into contrast with the many other beautiful monuments which dot the hillside of this great national resting place. With a permanent guard there would be no need of changing the present plan.

Washington Woman To Be Honor Guest

Miss Jessie Dell, civil service commissioner, is the second Washington woman to receive an invitation to attend a mass meeting in honor of her and 48 other women, representing 43 States and the District, by the American Women's association at Madison Square Garden, New York, March 18. The meeting is planned as a tribute to the business and professional women of America, guests being selected with the assistance of newspapers, Congressmen, chambers of commerce and women's organizations. Miss Dell will represent Georgia at the meeting.

The other local woman, representing the District of Columbia, is Dr. Louise Stanley, chief of the bureau of home economics, Department of Agriculture.

Second Baptist Bible Class Meets Tonight

The Janson Bible class of the Second Baptist church, Fourth street and Virginia avenue southeast, will meet tonight in the home of Edwin Reeves, 3001 M street southeast. There will be a business meeting and a social. Milton Trumble will preside.

The Brownie group of the Bortie Apple Bible class of the church will meet to devise plans for increasing the church building fund in the home of Mrs. Thomas Holmes, 423 Sixth street northeast, tomorrow night. Mrs. George T. Brown will preside.

Jailed for One Year

Andrew Alexander, colored, indicted on a charge of manslaughter, who was allowed to plead guilty to assault, was sentenced to serve one year in jail yesterday by Justice Stafford in criminal court. The accused was indicted after the death of James F. Williams, colored, from lockjaw, last December. Alexander was alleged to have thrown a brick at Williams, striking him in the jaw.